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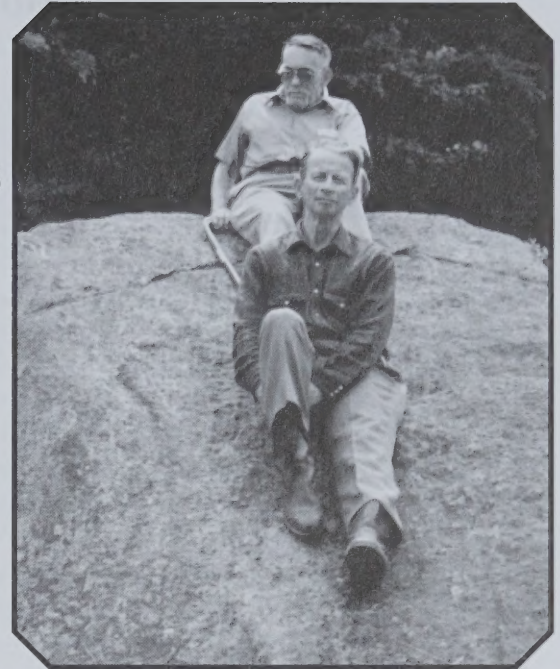
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December 31, 2007





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## Dedication of the 2007 Alexandria Town Report Sherman Edward Wadhams



The Alexandria Board of Selectmen is pleased to dedicate the 2007 Town Report to Sherman Edward Wadhams, 1927-2006.

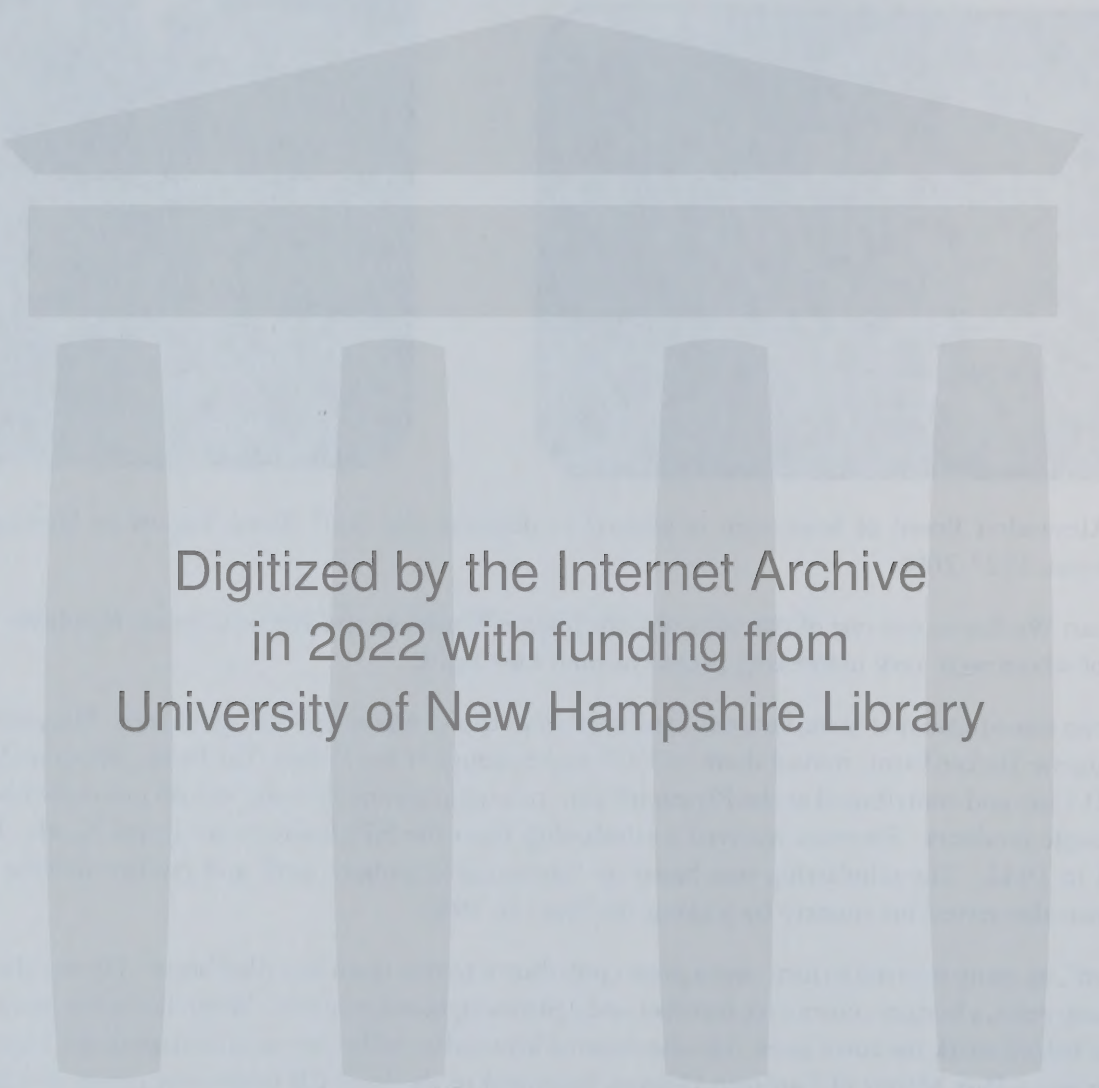
Sherman Wadhams was one of two sons of Orlo Erland Wadhams and Nellie Content Kimberly Wadhams, both of whom were very interesting people in their own right.

Sherman was educated at home for a time and then went to the Alexandria Village School. His parents bought the Eugene Tucker Farm, moved there in 1928 and renamed it the Spruce Tip Farm. Sherman belonged to the 4H Club and contributed at the Plymouth Fair, receiving several first and second prizes for his vegetables and maple products. Sherman received a scholarship from the NH Institute for Rural Youth. He went to UNH in 1942. The scholarship was based on "outstanding project work and civilian defense activities". Sherman also served his country by joining the Navy in 1943.

"Sherm", as many referred to him, was a great contributor to this town he called home. He was the moderator for many years, a budget committee member and a planning board member. When his father was a selectman, Sherm helped mark the town lines. He also assisted his mother while she was librarian of the Haynes Library. Sherm was a Past Master of Cardigan Grange, belonged to the local CB enthusiast group and the America Club.

Sherman worked as a night supervisor for the Sample Dept. at what we now call Freudenberg NOK. He was the credit union chairman there and a Q80s Leader. He was a contributing writer to the company paper, "Off the Platen" and was also the company photographer, taking photos of special guests, foreign visitors, events and celebrations. He contributed to the company with his photography in a very unique way. He took photos in order to measure seals. This was very successful and became a technique used by IPC and other factories country-wide. He belonged to Industrial Management before retiring in 2001.

The selectmen would like to thank Ms. Erma Lord, Sherman's long-time companion, for the information and photos that she supplied to us. Ms. Lord has also donated a flagpole and flags in memory of Sherman Wadhams to be dedicated as part of the 2008 Alexandria Community Day celebration.



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# Alexandria Town Officials for year ending December 31, 2007

COMMITTEE/BOARD	INDIVIDUAL NAME
MODERATOR	DENNIS FORD
BOARD OF SELECTMEN	CINDY WILLIAMS, DON GANGEMI, TOM MCGOWAN
HIGHWAY ROAD AGENT	JEFFREY CANTARA
TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR	BARBARA EMERY
DEPUTY TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR	ROBIN GAGNON
CHIEF OF POLICE	FRANK HINKLE
TOWN TREASURER	MELANIE MARKIEWICZ
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR	CHRISTIE PHELPS
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS	SUE CHENEY, DOUG BENTON, CARLEEN STICKNEY
SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST	GEORGE WHITTAKER, SUE CHENEY, LORETTA BROUILLARD
HEALTH OFFICER	GEORGE WHITTAKER
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	GEORGE WHITTAKER, DIRECTOR ED SKROBACK, DEPUTY DIRECTOR
PLANNING BOARD	MARGARET LABERGE, CHAIR, MERRY RUGGIRELLO DANIEL McLAUGHLIN, BONNIE O'BRIEN POIRE, FRANK SABBIO, ANN HALL-ALTERNATE
BUDGET COMMITTEE	HAROLD REILLY, GINNY DUGGAN, WILLIAM HALL FREDERICK PLATTS, HAROLD PLATTS
CONSERVATION COMMISSION	DONALD GAGNON, CHAIR, JANET TOWE KATE BARRETT, BONNIE O'BRIEN POIRE
FOREST FIRE WARDEN	ARTHUR BARRON
SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER	SUZANNE CHENEY
SCHOOL BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBER	HAROLD "SKIP" REILLY



## Alexandria Selectmen's Report for year ending December 31, 2007

As we reflect upon 2007, our hats are off to the Highway Department. We felt the severe affects of Mother Nature, not on one occasion, but two. In May we were hit with our 2nd 100-year flood in two years and once the snow began in November, it continued with little reprieve until well into 2008. Through the able leadership of Jeff Cantara, the department put in many hours to provide us with the ability to reach our destinations. This was accomplished despite the loss of personnel in addition to many equipment failures, many of which were repaired by our able staff. After the completion of much paperwork, we received reimbursement FEMA funding to offset the cost of repairs caused by the flood and drainage upgrades to mitigate future washouts to roads. The surplus revenue received from the flood offset the department's operating budget at year end. We were fortunate to have the two new Ford one-ton plow trucks in service which provided some dependable equipment. In addition, the department also completed restoration to a one mile segment of Fowler River Road.

We completed our assessment update, as required by law, to maintain market values on properties. Values increased; however, the tax rate was reduced. While sales have diminished, the sales that have taken place continue to be in line with that of the new assessments.

The Police Department has a new Ford Explorer in service, complete with state-of-the-art computer equipment provided by Car 54 grant funding. The Tahoe has also been outfitted with updated lighting and computer equipment.

In September we accepted the resignation of Selectman Peg Reilly. Tom McGowan was appointed as her replacement. Tom had just recently retired after many years with Verizon. Tom has been well received, and our decision has been supported by many. We thank Peg for her time on the board.

We have provided a warrant article this year to purchase the property on which the transfer station is located. We have rented this property since 1989 and feel that it would be financially prudent to allow the voters to decide whether it make more sense to pay toward the purchase and ownership so we can make improvements in order to expand recycling options which, in time, will see added savings in rubbish removal costs. In order to relocate to another site, there would be substantial costs involved in engineering and permitting.

We have promoted Christie Phelps, our Administrative Assistant, to that of Town Administrator. She was already providing us with the services of a TA through her knowledge and expertise, and we felt she is qualified to take on more of the day to day operations of the selectmen's office. With the passing of ongoing federal and state laws that our small towns are required to enforce (to include annual auditing), it becomes more and more difficult to be familiar with them. With the election of new selectmen on a rotating schedule, it is extremely important to have an individual who can be in a position to advise the board on these updates.

Thanks to the diligence of Barbara Emery, our Town Clerk/Tax Collector, our auditor has advised that the proper steps have now been taken to allow the town to begin taking deeds on properties with outstanding taxes. Some of the property taxes date back to the mid-80s. This is the first step to having these properties back on the tax rolls. Well done, Barbara!

We wish to commend and thank our dedicated officials and employees. Also, thank you to the taxpayers whose faith in these people provides our financial support. Our town continues to grow. We had 66 newly registered voters at our recent presidential primary, bringing our total of registered voters to 1,138, up from approximately 800 just five years ago.

In closing, we would ask that you support Community Day this year on July 5. There is a dedicated group of people who worked to make this a reality in 2007, and it should be even better in 2008. On that day we hope to be dedicating the Bennett Bandstand and the Wadhams Flagpole.

Respectfully submitted,

C.J. Williams, Chairman

G.T. Gangemi

Thomas McGowan

Selectmen, Town of Alexandria



**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION (MS-1)  
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**

<b>Description</b>	<b>Acres</b>	<b>Value</b>
Residential Land	5615.8	\$ 88,434,500.00
Land at Current Use Value	18628	\$ 2,024,538.00
Commercial/Industrial Land	225.73	\$ 1,974,200.00
<b>Total of Taxable Land</b>	<b>24470</b>	<b>\$ 92,433,238.00</b>
Value of Buildings-Residential		\$ 120,633,600.00
Value of Buildings-Manufactured Housing		\$ 5,401,600.00
Value of Commercial Buildings		\$ 3,541,400.00
<b>Total Value of Buildings</b>		<b>\$ 129,576,600.00</b>
Utilities		\$ 13,895,200.00
Valuation Before Exemptions		\$ 235,905,038.00
Exemptions:		
Elderly/Blind/Disabled		\$ 375,000.00
<b>Net Valuation for computation of Municipal, County &amp; Local Education Tax</b>		<b>\$ 235,530,038.00</b>
Less Utilities		\$ 13,892,200.00
<b>Net Value for State Education Tax</b>		<b>\$ 221,635,838.00</b>
<b>Exemption/Credit Breakdown</b>		
Total Receiving \$15,000 Exemption		6
Total Receiving \$25,000 Exemption		4
Total Receiving \$40,000 Exemption		2
Veteran's Credit Breakdown		
Total Receiving \$200 Credit		92
Total Receiving \$1400 Total Disability Credit		6
<b>Current Use Report</b>		
Farm Land	740.05	\$ 283,916.00
Forest Land	11831	\$ 1,343,225.00
Forest Land W/Documented Stewardship	5330.9	\$ 386,692.00
Unproductive Lane	175.19	\$ 2,546.00
Wetlands	550.82	\$ 8,159.00
Total	18628	\$ 2,024,538.00
Total Acres w/20 Recreational Adjustment	1925	
Total Acres Removed From Current Use in 2007	7.6	
Total Number of Owners in Current Use		225
Total Number of Parcels in Current Use		389



## Alexandria Town Meeting March 16, 2007

Moderator Dennis Ford reconvened the town meeting at 7:00 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was lead by the moderator. Dennis made introductions of those seated at the head tables; Selectmen, Peg Reilly, Cindy Williams and Dennis Manchester; Budget Committee Representatives Skip Reilly, Ginny Duggan and Bill Hall.

A framed picture of the Cardigan Mountain Lodge from the 1940's was presented to the town by AMC Lodge Representative Thomas Fisher. A moment of silence was give for all those that the town had lost in the previous year. A short slide show was presented in memory of Bob Ramsey, former selectman, police chief and road agent, who died in February of 2007.

The 2007 Town Report was dedicated to Kenneth Patten for his years of service to the town. A bouquet of flowers was given to his wife, Beverly. A bouquet of flowers was also presented to Christie Phelps, the Administrative Assistant to the Selectmen, from Peg Reilly for her dedication and service to the town.

The moderator read the results of Tuesday's elections and then requested a motion be made to move on to the warrant articles.

Motion was made and seconded.

**Article 2:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$155,000 for the purchase of two one-ton pickups (made and model to be determined) to be used by the highway department. These vehicles will be equipped with plows, sanders, radios and other pertinent equipment. Project to be financed as follows: \$25,000 to be withdrawn from the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Account; \$130,000 through the issuance of a long-term note (rate of interest and length of loan to be negotiated by selectmen). 2/3 Ballot vote required. Recommended by Budget Committee, Recommended by Selectmen

*Results of ballot vote: Article 2 passes. 121 yes to 20 no*

Discussion followed; Polls open for one hour.

The moderator requests for a motion to move forward to the next article.

Motion made and seconded.

**Article 3:** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to enter into a three year lease agreement for \$155,000 for the purpose of leasing two one-ton pickups for the Highway Department, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,762.85 for the first year's payment for that purchase. This lease agreement contains an escape clause. Not Recommended by Budget Committee, Not Recommended by Selectmen. (NOTE: If Article 2 passes, Article 3 becomes null and void)

*Motion made and seconded to table Article 3 until the outcome of Article 2 is established.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 4.

**Article 4:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Million, Three hundred seventy thousand seventy-five dollars (1,370,075.00) which represents the budget committee's recommendations for the general municipal budget for 2007. This article does not include special or individual articles to be addressed separately. (Selectmen recommend \$1,410,279.00).

Road Agent Jeff Cantara spoke on behalf of the highway department. He has a written amendment for the highway budget which was accepted by the moderator. The amendment was to request an increase of \$21,000 to the operating budget and a \$4,700 increase to personnel administration for the implementation of a fifth full-time highway crew member. Amendment passes with no discussion.

Selectman Peg Reilly has a written amendment to increase the Property Appraisal budget by \$4,100 and



increase the Highway Dept. Heat budget by \$4,000. The amendment passes.

Questions arise about the assessing company, Avitar. AA Christie Phelps is asked to speak. A vote for her to be able to speak was called for and so voted. Christie speaks briefly on the new stipulations being set for Avitar to be retained as Town Assessors.

Selectman Cindy Williams has a written amendment to the Police Equipment Purchase for a decrease of \$2,500. A vote for Police Chief Frank Hinkle to speak was called for and so voted. The chief speaks briefly on the proposed amendment. Amendment does not pass. Final 2007 budget amount for Article 4 is \$1,403,875.00.

*Motion made and seconded to move on to Article 5*

**Article 5:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty-two thousand dollars (\$42,000) to purchase a duty-ready police cruiser (make and model to be determined). The project will be financed in the following manner: \$32,000 to be withdrawn from the Police Equipment Capital Reserve Account; \$7,000 from the 2006 Unreserved Fund Balance and \$3,000 to be raised through taxation in 2007. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen.

Discussion follows. Article 5 passes

*Motion made and seconded to move to Article 6*

**Article 6:** To See if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 for the purchase of a trailer to be used to mobilize an ATV. In the event that the town does not receive the ATV, the money appropriated for this warrant article will not be used. (Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen)

Discussion follows. Chief Hinkle speaks briefly. Article 6 does not pass.

*Motion made and seconded to move on to Article 7*

**Article 7:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175,000 for the purpose of engineering prep (drainage, ditching, and sub-grade) required in order to achieve the paving of a minimum of one mile of Fowler River Road. The estimated cost for the project is \$350,000. It is planned to complete as much of the project as possible in 2007 and ask the Town to raise and appropriate the remaining sum required in 2008. (This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the road project is completed or by December 31, 2008, whichever is sooner. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen.

Road Agent, Jeff Cantara, speaks. Discussion follows.

*Article 7 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 8.

**Article 8:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to pave Mundy Road from the intersection of Washburn and Mundy to the bridge. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen.

Jeff Cantara makes a short speech on the issues this will prevent. No discussion.

*Article 8 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 9.

**Article 9:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,500 to construct a concrete pad and purchase and install a double-wall fuel storage tank for diesel fuel at the highway garage facility on Mundy Road. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen.

Jeff Cantara briefly explains the necessity and cost effectiveness of this. No discussion.

*Article 9 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 10.

**Article 10:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be placed in the



Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Account. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen.  
No discussion.

*Article 10 passes.*

Polls are noted to be closed on Article 2 ballot vote.

Motion made and seconded to move on to Article 11.

**Article 11:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to purchase a trailer to be used for the mobilization of equipment. Not recommended by Budget Committee, Recommended by Selectmen.

Jeff Cantara speaks of the cost and time savings this would provide. Discussion follows. Voice vote called; too close to allow. Hand count made. Article 11 fails; 55 yes to 57 no

Motion made and seconded to move Article 17 forward for a ballot vote. A petition for the ballot vote was handed to the moderator and was accepted.

*Results of Article 2 ballot vote announced: 121 yes to 20 no; Article 2 passes.*

*Article 3 is read to clarify it being null since Article 2 passed. No discussion. Article 3 is defeated.*

**Article 17:** Are you in favor of abolishing the Alexandria Planning Board as provided in NHRSA 673:18? (Article presented by petition)

*Results of ballot vote (98 no-38 yes)*

*Article 17 is defeated.*

Lengthy discussion follows. Ballot vote called. Polls will be open from 9:15-10:15 p.m.

Moderator asks to move back to Article 12. Motion made and seconded.

**Article 12:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be placed in the Police Equipment Capital Reserve Account. Recommended by Budget Committee, Recommended by Selectmen  
Discussion follows.

*Article 12 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 13

**Article 13:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$14,200 for the Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department (AVFD) for the provision of fire fighting and prevention services and to continue the lease of the 1999 International Tanker to the AVFD, all pursuant to an agreement between the Town and the AVFD. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen.

*Article 13 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 14

**Article 14:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$90,000 to finance the preliminary engineering phase for the replacement of the Washburn Road Bridge. Of this amount, \$72,000 will be reimbursed by the State of New Hampshire, Bridge Aid Program. The remaining \$18,000 will be raised by Taxation. Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen

Brief discussion follows.

*Article 14 passes*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 15

**Article 15:** To see if the Town will vote to establish a revolving fund pursuant to RSA 31:95-h, for the purpose of police special details. All revenues received for police special details will be deposited into the fund, and the money in the fund shall be allowed to accumulate from year to year, and shall not be considered part of the town's general fund unreserved fund balance. The town treasurer shall have custody of all monies in the fund, and shall pay out the same only upon order of the governing body and no further approval is

required by the legislative body to expend. Such funds may be expended only for the purpose for which the fund was created.

Short discussion follows.

*Article 15 passes.*

Motion made a seconded to move to Article 16.

**Article 16:** Are you in favor of increasing the board of selectmen to five members? (NHRSA 41:8-b)(Article presented by petition)

Short discussion follows.

*Article 16 is defeated.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 18 (since 17 has been previously addressed)

**Article 18:** To see if the Town will vote to delegate authority to the Board of Selectmen to establish an annual compensation system for salary and benefits for the position of Town Clerk/Tax Collector per RSA 41:25, I, RSA 41:33 and RSA 41:5-b, consistent with the town's personnel policies and practices.

Selectmen Cindy Williams and Peg Reilly speak.

*Article 18 is defeated.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 19

**Article 19:** Are you in favor of the adoption of the Floodplain Management Ordinance as proposed?

Discussion follows.

*Article 19 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 20

**Article 20:** Are you in favor of the adoption of the Class V Minimum Road Specifications as proposed?

Discussion follows.

*Article 20 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 21.

**Article 21:** Are you in favor of the adoption of the Class VI Minimum Road Specifications as proposed?

Discussion follows.

*Article 21 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 22.

**Article 22:** Are you in favor of the building permit ordinance as proposed?

Discussion follows. Hand count was needed.

*76 yes to 36 no. Article passes*

NOTE: While the entire text of the ordinance and specifications warrant articles are not included in the above, numbers 18, 19, 20 and 21, full texts of each were distributed at the public hearing on January 31, 2007, February 7, 2007, the town meeting and as an addendum to the town report.

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 23

**Article 23:** To see if the Town will vote to accept the Class VI road now known as Lynn Avenue as a Class V road and assume the responsibility and the expense for the maintenance of said road. Lynn Avenue is approximately 2400 feet long including the extension. (Article presented by petition) Article is defeated. (28 yes to 86 no)



Discussion follows. Article is in need of a wording correction amendment. A written amendment is handed to the moderator and is accepted. Discussion of amended article follows. A ballot vote is called for and the 5 necessary signed petitions are brought forward to the moderator and accepted. Polls are declared open at 10:45 pm and will be open for one hour.

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 24

**Article 24:** To see if the Town will vote to completely discontinue a portion of Sye Ali Road as follows: beginning at a point 456 feet from the intersection of Sye Ali Road and Cass Mill Road, then continuing to the end, including any town road which may have existed beyond the stone wall of the Robert H. and Charlene A. Fellows property, also known as Map 414, Lot 123 on the Alexandria, NH tax maps. (This article presented by petition)

Discussion follows. Non-resident owner is voted to be able to speak. Mr. Fellows speaks briefly on the issue. Discussion follows.

*Article 24 passes.*

Motion made and seconded to move to Article 25

**Article 25:** To transact any other business to come before the meeting.

No other business was brought up for discussion; however, polls needed to remain open until 11:45 pm for Article 23.

11:45 pm-polls declared close and outcome declared.

*28 yes to 86 no Article fails*

Motion to adjourn made and seconded.

Meeting adjourned at 11:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

H.R. Reilly

C.J. Williams

Dennis Manchester

Alexandria Board of Selectmen

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara M. Emery, Town Clerk/Tax Collector

**ALEXANDRIA COMPARISONS OF APPROPRIATIONS & EXPENDITURES  
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriated	Expended	Held Over	Variance
Executive Expenses	68043	71989.43		-3946.43
Town Meeting	3700	3151.19		548.81
Supervisors of the Checklist	4050	5749.47		-1699.47
Election Administration	1100	885.07		214.93
Trustees of Trust Funds	340	240		100
Auditing	9800	13652.5		-3852.5
Town Clerk/Tax Collector	58200	55646.73		2553.27
Treasurer	3880	3646.34		233.66
Budget Committee	500	63		437
Property Appraisal	41327	42016.81		-689.81
Legal Expenses	30000	15935.92		14064.08
Personnel Administration	163184	163627.56		-443.56
Planning Board	8791	8964.46		-173.46
General Government Buildings	15700	24821.37		-9121.37
Cemeteries	14000	13181.12		818.88
Liability Insurance	17200	16749.02		450.98
Regional Associations	11851	11850.79		0.21
Tax Mapping	2500	1035		1465
Police Department	130339	129446.88		892.12
Ambulance Service	25777	25777		0
Emergency Management	8100	4972.48		3127.52
Forest Fires	3000	300.11		2699.89
Highway Department	432380	454926.52		-22546.52
Bridges	10000	12624.25		-2624.25
Street Lighting	2000	1926.13		73.87
Transfer Station	126688	112590.97		14097.03
Health Officer	3800	4710.45		-910.45
Health Agencies	14050	14050		0
Welfare Assistance	14000	7659.45		6340.55
Tapply Thompson/Wellington Park	22425	22425		0
Patriotic Purposes	350	178.16		171.84
Conservation Commission	500	469.66		30.34
Debt Service	155300	104802.12		50497.88
Abatement Expenses	1000	287.13		712.87
Capital Reserve Payments	20000	20000		0
Alexandria Vol. Fire Dept.	14200	14200		0
PD Cruiser	42000	39411.21		2588.79
Highway One Tons	155000	154923		77
Mundy Road Paving	15000	15000		0
Fowler River Road	175000	175000		0
Highway Fuel Tank	8500	8500		0
Washburn Bridge Engineering	90000	4092	85908	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>1923575</b>	<b>1781478.3</b>	<b>85908</b>	<b>56188.7</b>

It is noted that the Executive Budget would not have been overdrawn except that the auditors chose to charge accumulated vacation time to this year's ending figures. This has been done with all departments, but did not necessarily result in an overage in all.



# ESTIMATED VERSUS ACTUAL REVENUES FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

REVENUE SOURCE	ESTIMATED	ACTUAL
Land Use Change Taxes	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 28,006.00
Yield Taxes	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 11,620.03
Excavation Yield	\$ 300.00	\$ 499.00
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,432.55
Interest and Penalties on Overdue Taxes	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 81,908.61
Motor Vehicle Permits, Titles and Fees	\$ 250,000.00	\$ 253,913.95
Building Permits, Filing Fees & Pistol Permits	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,886.00
Dog License & Other Town Clerk Fees	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 5,458.94
Wellington Park Passes	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,514.00
Shared Revenue from State of NH	\$ 7,050.00	\$ 13,147.00
Rooms & Meals Distribution	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 62,763.20
Highway Block Grant	\$ 69,000.00	\$ 69,001.14
Bridge Aid (will be received in 2008)	\$ 72,000.00	\$ -
State and Federal Forest Land Income	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,291.99
Income from Selectmen & Departments	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 50,704.15
Checking Account & other Interest -\$32,537.58		
Copies, Postage, Faxes - \$519.71		
Driveway Permits - \$825		
Highway Department Income - \$433.14		
Police Department Income - \$3,570.64		
Planning Board Fees - \$1,991.37		
Town Property Rental - \$202		
Transfer Station Fees - \$9,231.80		
Refunds - \$1,121.37		
Forest Fire Income - \$171.54		
Sale of Town Property (Truck)	\$ -	\$ 8,100.00
Other Undesignated Income	\$ -	\$ 2,946.69
Due from Trust Funds	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 7,141.99
Due from Capital Reserves	\$ 57,000.00	\$ 57,000.00
Proceeds from Long Term Notes	\$ 130,000.00	\$ 130,000.00
<b>TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 691,350.00</b>	<b>\$ 794,335.24</b>
<b>OTHER INCOME THAT IS NOT ESTIMATED</b>		
FEMA Reimbursements		\$ 244,242.08
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 691,350.00</b>	<b>\$ 1,038,577.32</b>

## Town of Alexandria, Compensated Positions for year ending December 31, 2007

<u>Individual Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Compensation</u>
Adams, Necole	Cemetery Labor	\$190.00
Bacon, Robert	Police Officer	\$15,214.28
Benton, Douglas	Trustee	\$80.00
Blais, Alexis	Transfer Station Labor	\$4,813.85
Blais, David	Highway Worker	\$35,310.24
Blais, Justin	Cemetery Labor	\$1,440.20
Blais, Sandra	Cemetery Sexton	\$6,331.25
Brouillard	Supervisor of Checklist	\$1,130.00
Brown, Britta	Deputy TC/TX (resigned)	\$6,684.92
Bruey, Thomas	Cemetery Labor	\$700.00
Cantara, Jeffrey	Road Agent	\$45,038.28
Cheney, Suzanne	Trustee/Supervisor Checklist	\$1,680.00
Duquette, Robert	Highway Worker	\$154.00
Ellis, Daryll	Deputy Treasurer	\$16.00
Emery, Barbara	Town Clerk/Tax Collector	\$32,912.04
Emery, John	Highway Worker	\$32,070.92
Ford, Dennis	Moderator	\$200.00
Gagnon, Robin	Deputy TC/TX	\$1,520.75
Gangemi, Don	Selectman	\$1,440.00
Hall, Ann	Custodial Worker	\$1,072.25
Hall, Henry	Deputy Moderator	\$200.00
Hinkle, Frank	Chief of Police	\$45,518.28
Kenney, Lynn	Animal Control Officer (Res.)	\$1,230.00
LaBerge, Frankie	Deputy TC/TX (resigned)	\$126.00
MacLean, Ronald	Highway Worker	\$39,700.75
Manchester, Dennis	Selectman (thru 3/07)	\$450.00
Markiewicz, Melanie	Treasurer/Planning Bd. Clerk	\$7,478.84
McGowan, Thomas	Selectman (appointed)	\$200.00
Milligan, Daniel	Highway Worker (resigned)	\$31,531.57
Moses, Jedadiah	Cemetery Worker	\$272.00
Parmenter, Ernest	Police Officer (resigned)	\$8,357.05
Paterson, Douglas	Transfer Station Operator	\$15,650.24
Phelps, Christie	Town Administrator	\$37,453.40
Reilly, Harold	Firearms Instructor, Police	\$94.50
Reilly, H. R.	Selectman (resigned)	\$1,140.00
Ruggirello, Merry	Custodial Worker	\$719.25
Skroback, Ed	Deputy Emergency Mgt.	\$676.00
Stickney, Carleen	Trustee	\$80.00
Stickney, Larry	Animal Control Officer	\$471.00
Tullar, Raymond	Cemetery Worker	\$310.00
Wendell, Richard	Highway Worker	\$3,978.00
White, Carol	Selectmen's/Police Assistant	\$15,032.64
Whittaker, George	Health, Emerg. Mgt., S.O.C.	\$7,948.50
Williams, C.J.	Selectman	\$1,880.00
Williamson, Andrew	Police Officer	\$13,297.51



## MUNICIPAL TAX RATE BREAKDOWN 2007

## TOWN/CITY: ALEXANDRIA

		Rate/\$1,000 of Valuation	
Gross Appropriations	1,923,575		
Less: Revenues	879,305		
Less: Shared Revenues	6,097		
Add: Add Overlay	75,900		
War Service Credit	26,700		
Net Town Appropriation		1,140,773	Town Rate
APPROVED TOWN RATE			4.84

## SCHOOL PORTION

Regional School Apportionment	3,136,802		
Less: Adequate Education Grant	-693,151		
State Education Taxes	-455,727		
Approved School Tax Effort		1,987,924	
APPROVED LOCAL SCHOOL RATE			8.44

## STATE EDUCATION TAXES

Equalized Value (no utilities) x			
	203,449,745	455,727	
APPROVED STATE SCHOOL RATE			State School Rate 2.06

## COUNTY PORTION

Due to County	295,434		
Less: Shared Revenues	-1,038		
Approved County Tax Effort		294,396	County Rate 1.25
APPROVED COUNTY RATE			

## TOTAL RATE

Total Tax Rate 16.59
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Total Property Taxes Assessed	3,878,820
Less: War Service Credits	-26,200
Total Property Tax Commitment	3,852,120

## PROOF OF RATE

Net Assessed Valuation		Tax Rate	Assessment
State Education Tax (no utilities)	221,634,838	2.06	455,727
All Other Taxes	235,530,038	14.53	3,423,093
			3,878,820

## Detailed Statement of Expenditures for year ending December 31, 2007

DEPARTMENT & DESCRIPTION	LINE EXPENSE	DEPT. TOTAL
<b>Executive</b>		
Selectmen's Pay	\$5,110.00	
Telephone	\$1,336.68	
Data Processing Fees	\$4,706.00	
Prof. Svcs.-Central Land Surveying	\$206.40	
Vehicle Expenses - Repairs	\$614.06	
Printing & Advertising	\$913.58	
Dues & Subscriptions	\$1,249.35	
Office Supplies	\$2,313.71	
Postage	\$1,862.02	
Equipment Maintenance - Copier	\$1,330.00	
Equipment Purchases	\$627.63	
Mileage	\$346.93	
Administrative Assistant Salary	\$37,453.40	
Secretary Pay	\$7,221.30	
Accumulated Vacation & Benefits	\$6,698.37	
<b>Total Executive</b>		<b>\$71,989.43</b>
<b>Town Meeting</b>		
Moderator Pay	\$200.00	
Town Report Printing	\$2,906.19	
Town Meeting Miscellaneous	\$45.00	
<b>Total Town Meeting</b>		<b>\$3,151.19</b>
<b>Voter Registration</b>		
Supervisor's Pay	\$3,480.00	
Supervisor's Telephone	\$181.65	
Supervisor's Advertising	\$413.32	
Supervisor's Supplies	\$541.41	
Supervisor's Postage	\$27.17	
Supervisor's Equipment Purchases	\$1,105.92	
<b>Total Supervisor's</b>		<b>\$5,749.47</b>
<b>Election Administration</b>		
Ballot Clerks	\$620.00	
Moderator	\$200.00	
Supplies	\$65.07	
<b>Total Election Administration</b>		<b>\$885.07</b>
<b>Trustees of Trust Funds</b>		
Trustees Pay	\$240.00	
<b>Total Trustees of Trust Funds</b>		<b>\$240.00</b>



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Auditing

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Plodzik & Sanderson	\$13,652.50	
<b>Total Auditing</b>		<b>\$13,652.50</b>

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Town Clerk/Tax Collector

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Deputy Collector Pay	\$7,310.59	
Clerk/Collector Pay	\$32,721.84	
Accumulated Vacation & Benefits	\$3,298.56	
Clerk/Collector Phone	\$1,340.77	
Clerk/Collector Advertising & Printing	\$486.24	
Clerk/Collector Dues	\$100.00	
Clerk/Collector Office Supplies	\$1,991.40	
Clerk/Collector Computer Support	\$2,795.00	
Clerk/Collector Copier Maintenance	\$547.69	
Clerk/Collector Postage	\$2,252.63	
Clerk/Collector Supplies	\$122.83	
Clerk/Collector Equipment Purchase	\$363.00	
Clerk/Collector Mileage	\$488.34	
Clerk/Collector Training	\$275.00	
Clerk/Collector Lien Discharge Expenses	\$171.97	
Clerk/Collector Lien Recording Fees	\$1,380.87	
<b>Total Town Clerk/Tax Collector</b>		<b>\$55,646.73</b>

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Treasurer

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Treasurer's Pay	\$2,778.16	
Treasurer's Mileage	\$868.18	
<b>Total Treasurer</b>		<b>\$3,646.34</b>

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Budget Committee

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Budget Committee Printing/Advertising	\$27.00	
Budget Committee Supplies		\$36.00
<b>Total Budget Committee</b>		<b>\$63.00</b>

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Property Appraisal

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Avitar Associates	\$42,016.81	
<b>Total Property Appraisal</b>		<b>\$42,016.81</b>

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Legal Expenses

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Town Legal Fees	\$810.05	
Attorney Retainer	\$11,100.00	
PD Prosecutorial Fees	\$4,025.87	
<b>Total Legal Expenses</b>		<b>\$15,935.92</b>

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Personnel Administration

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Health Insurance	\$86,989.19	
Unemployment/Worker's Compensation	\$17,230.11	
Retirement	\$25,360.38	
Employer FICA/Medicare Contributions	\$34,047.88	
<b>Total Personnel Administration</b>		\$163,627.56
(Personnel Administration includes accum. costs for last week of 2007, paid in 2008)		

#### Planning/Zoning

Planning Board Clerk Pay	\$4,716.68	
Planning Board Phone	\$363.94	
Planning Board Printing & Advertising	\$1,792.63	
Lakes Region Planning Commission Dues	\$1,331.00	
Planning Board Office Supplies	\$129.72	
Planning Board Postage	\$71.49	
Planning Board Books	\$190.00	
Planning Board Workshops	\$369.00	
<b>Total Planning/Zoning</b>		\$8,964.46

#### General Government Buildings

Custodial Pay	\$1,791.50	
Electricity for 45 & 47 Washburn Road	\$4,614.83	
Propane for 45 & 47 Washburn Road	\$4,824.56	
Heating Oil for 45 Washburn Road	\$2,822.51	
Maintenance for 72 Mundy Road, 45 & 47 Washburn Road	\$9,555.43	
Security System Contract	\$612.00	
Custodial Supplies	\$600.54	
<b>Total General Government Building</b>		\$24,821.37

#### Cemeteries

Cemetery Sexton Wages	\$6,331.25	
Cemetery Laborer Wages	\$3,667.20	
Cemetery Maintenance Supplies	\$2,449.22	
Cemetery Equipment Maintenance	\$404.24	
Cemetery Mileage	\$329.21	
<b>Total Cemeteries</b>		\$13,181.12

#### Property Liability Insurance

Property Liability Trust	\$16,749.02	
<b>Total Property Liability Insurance</b>		\$14,312.48

#### Regional Associations

Lakes Region Mutual Fire Aid	\$11,850.79	
<b>Total Regional Associations</b>		\$11,850.79

#### Tax Mapping



Cartographic Mapping Update	\$1,035.00	
<b>Total Tax Mapping</b>		\$1,035.00
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Police Department		
Police Officer Pay	\$31,049.92	
Police Chief Pay	\$45,038.28	
Police Accumulated Benefits	\$2,514.45	
Police Admin. Assistant	\$6,637.44	
Police Telephone	\$3,447.12	
Police Equipment Repairs	\$177.90	
Police Uniforms & Gear	\$438.32	
Police Dispatch Expenses	\$19,070.00	
Police Vehicle Maintenance	\$2,658.96	
Police Printing & Advertising	\$160.67	
Police Dues	\$283.32	
NH Special Operation Dues	\$2,500.00	
Police Office Supplies	\$621.39	
Police Gasoline	\$5,392.63	
Police Ammunition	\$590.52	
Police Books	\$213.45	
Police Equipment Purchases	\$269.99	
Police Grant Equipment	\$2,602.00	
Police Training	\$483.99	
Police Animal Control Pay	\$1,701.00	
Police - NH Humane Society Expenses	\$2,800.00	
Police- Animal Control Supplies	\$248.68	
Police - Animal Control Mileage	\$546.85	
<b>Total Police &amp; Animal Control</b>		\$129,446.88
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Ambulance Service		
Newfound Ambulance Service	\$25,777.00	
<b>Total Ambulance Service</b>		\$25,777.00
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Emergency Management		
Emergency Mgt. Salaries	\$2,903.00	
Emergency Mgt. Phone	\$181.65	
Emergency Mgt. Supplies	\$660.31	
Emergency Mgt. Equipment Maint.	\$619.99	
Emergency Mgt. Equipment Purchases	\$109.99	
Emergency Mgt. Mileage	\$300.49	
Emergency Mgt. Training	\$197.05	
<b>Total Emergency Management</b>		\$4,972.48
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Forest Fires		
Forest Fire Expenses	\$300.11	
<b>Total Forest Fires</b>		\$300.11

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 Highway Department
 

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Highway Regular Labor	\$103,696.93	
Highway Road Agent	\$40,266.79	
Highway Overtime Labor	\$16,927.29	
Highway Accumulated Vacation & Benefits	\$7,597.36	
Highway Contracted Labor	\$14,762.94	
Highway Part Time Labor	\$3,336.00	
Highway Telephone & Pagers	\$1,030.16	
Highway Medical Expenses	\$577.95	
Highway Uniform Expense	\$4,559.94	
Highway Electricity	\$3,974.72	
Highway Heat	\$11,437.93	
Highway Dues & Subscriptions	\$185.00	
Highway Supplies	\$22,248.69	
Highway Gasoline	\$973.80	
Highway Diesel	\$34,103.69	
Highway Vehicle Maintenance	\$43,702.77	
Equipment Purchases	\$7,091.64	
Equipment Rentals	\$10,446.25	
Hot Top & Paving Materials	\$32,598.71	
Magnesium Supplies (Dust Control)	\$5,490.00	
Gravel, Sand, Rock	\$43,503.20	
Winter Salt	\$24,545.01	
Winter Sand	\$21,869.75	
<b>Total Highway Department</b>		<b>\$454,926.52</b>

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 Bridge Maintenance
 

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Washburn Road Bridge Repairs	\$12,624.25	
<b>Total Bridge Maintenance</b>		<b>\$12,624.25</b>

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 Street Lighting
 

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Public Service of NH	\$1,926.13	
<b>Total Street Lighting</b>		<b>\$1,926.13</b>

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 Solid Waste Disposal
 

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Transfer Station Operator Pay	\$15,282.00	
Transfer Station Part-Time Labor	\$4,166.13	
Transfer Station Accumulated Benefits	\$1,177.42	
Transfer Station Telephone	\$317.24	
Transfer Station Uniforms	\$467.19	
Transfer Station Electricity	\$594.15	
Transfer Station Heat	\$370.30	
Equipment Rentals	\$1,000.72	
Land Lease	\$10,128.96	
Transfer Station Operator Dues	\$50.00	



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Lakes Reg. Hazardous Waste Day Dues	\$2,172.00	
Equipment Maintenance	\$50.00	
Supplies	\$119.71	
Equipment Purchases	\$4,975.00	
Transport Contract	\$71,720.15	
<b>Total Solid Waste Disposal</b>		<b>\$112,590.97</b>

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Health Officer

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Health Officer Wages	\$3,478.48	
Health Officer Telephone	\$181.17	
Health Officer Mileage & Expenses	\$850.81	
Health Officer Equipment & Supplies	\$109.99	
Health Officer Workshop Fees	\$90.00	
<b>Total Health Officer</b>		<b>\$4,710.45</b>

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Health Agencies

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Newfound Area Nurses Association	\$9,200.00	
Voices Against Violence	\$1,600.00	
Genesis	\$1,000.00	
Grafton County Seniors	\$750.00	
Tri-County CAP Agency	\$1,500.00	
<b>Total Health Agencies</b>		<b>\$14,050.00</b>

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Welfare Assistance

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Housing	\$5,390.00	
Heat	\$1,808.22	
Food		
Electric	\$359.16	
Burial Expense	\$102.07	
<b>Total Welfare Assistance</b>		<b>\$7,659.45</b>

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Parks & Recreation

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Tapplly Thompson Community Center	\$19,925.00	
Wellington Beach Entry Fee	\$2,500.00	
<b>Total Parks &amp; Recreation</b>		<b>\$16,304.00</b>

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Patriotic Purposes

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Flags & Markers for Cemeteries	\$178.16	
<b>Total Patriotic Purposes</b>		<b>\$172.71</b>

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Conservation Commission

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Conservation Commission Dues	\$200.00	
Conservation Commission Training	\$269.66	
<b>Total Conservation Commission</b>		<b>\$469.66</b>

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Debt Service

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Principal Long Term Debt	\$82,598.97	
Interest Long Term Debt	\$22,203.15	
Interest Tax Anticipation Note	\$0.00	
<b>Total Debt Service</b>		<b>\$104,802.12</b>

Abatement Interest Expenses		
Interest on Abatements	\$287.13	
<b>Total Abatement Interest Expenses</b>		<b>\$337.23</b>

Capital Reserve Payments		
Highway Capital Reserve	\$10,000.00	
PD Cruiser Capital Reserve	\$10,000.00	
<b>Total Capital Reserve Payments</b>		<b>\$20,000.00</b>

2007 Warrant Articles		
Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department	\$14,200.00	
Police Department Cruiser	\$39,411.21	
Highway One Tons	\$154,923.00	
Mundy Road Paving	\$15,000.00	
Fowler River Road	\$175,000.00	
Highway Fuel Tank	\$8,500.00	
Washburn Bridge Engineering	\$4,092.00	
<b>Total 2007 Warrant Articles</b>		<b>\$411,126.21</b>

Articles Carried Over From 2006		
Municipal Building Project	\$162,256.61	
<b>Total Articles Carried Over From 2006</b>		<b>\$162,256.61</b>

Other Expenses		
Refunds for Overpayments & Abatements	\$19,175.20	
5007 Flood Expenses	\$162,256.61	
Newfound School District	\$2,490,003.00	
Grafton County Treasurer	\$295,434.00	
<b>Total Other Expenses</b>		<b>\$2,966,868.81</b>



Town of Alexandria Schedule of Town-Owned Property  
for year ending December 31, 2007

Map/Lot	Description	Acreage	Land Value	Building Value	Total
201-004	Land-West Shore Road	2	\$ 6,300.00		\$ 6,300.00
201-096	Land-West Shore Road	0.02	\$ 40,500.00		\$ 40,500.00
404-006	Pitman Cemetery	0.16	\$ 400.00		\$ 400.00
406-014	Riverside Cemetery	2.52	\$ 2,700.00		\$ 2,700.00
407-011	Pitman Lot	55	\$ 85,700.00		\$ 85,700.00
407-020	Bailey Cemetery	0.09	\$ -		\$ -
407-037	Tucker Cemetery	0.15	\$ 400.00		\$ 400.00
407-042	Linfield Cemetery	0.4	\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00
410-004	Patten Cemetery	0.32	\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00
411-001	Town Halls/Garage	14.79	\$ 111,700.00	\$ 841,300.00	\$ 953,000.00
411-004	Old Highway Garage	0.6	\$ 56,600.00	\$ 90,600.00	\$ 147,200.00
411-52	Scott Patten Cemetery	0.15	\$ 400.00		\$ 400.00
411-113	Roller Shed	0.5	\$ 42,000.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 43,600.00
411-116	School House	1.2	\$ 93,300.00	\$ 126,300.00	\$ 219,600.00
411-189	Crawford Cemetery	0.5	\$ 700.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 2,200.00
441-201	Town Pound	0.18	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
411-217	Tucker House Lot	9.55	\$ 80,200.00	\$ 130,800.00	\$ 211,000.00
413-030	Burns Hill Cemetery	0.86	\$ 700.00		\$ 700.00
414-052	Chellis Meadow	20	\$ 104,200.00		\$ 104,200.00
418-042	Rhoades Cemetery	1.16	\$ 600.00		\$ 600.00
419-013	Transfer Station Buildings			\$ 20,900.00	\$ 20,900.00
	TOTAL	110.15	\$ 627,400.00	\$ 1,213,000.00	\$ 1,840,400.00

**PLODZIK & SANDERSON***Professional Association/Accountants & Auditors*193 North Main Street • Concord • New Hampshire • 03301-5063 • 603-225-6996 • FAX-224-1380***INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT***

To the Members of the Board of Selectmen  
Town of Alexandria  
Alexandria, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Alexandria as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Town's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Alexandria as of December 31, 2006, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information are not a required part of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Town of Alexandria's basic financial statements. The combining and individual fund schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. They have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

October 29, 2007

*Plodzik & Sanderson  
Professional Association*



*EXHIBIT A*  
**TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
*Statement of Net Assets*  
*December 31, 2006*

	Governmental Activities
<b>ASSETS</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,673,416
Investments	374,796
Other receivables, net of allowances for uncollectible	367,787
Capital assets, not being depreciated:	
Land	133,725
Construction in progress	810,639
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation:	
Land improvements	10,754
Buildings and building improvements	624,216
Equipment and vehicles	501,257
Infrastructure	1,883,792
Total assets	<u>6,380,382</u>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Accounts payable	24,477
Accrued salaries and benefits	4,354
Contract payable	133,406
Intergovernmental payable	1,180,003
Accrued interest payable	7,970
Escrow and performance deposits	277
Unearned revenue	47,595
Noncurrent obligations:	
Due within one year:	
Bonds	61,847
Due in more than one year:	
Bonds	427,620
Total liabilities	<u>1,887,549</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	3,474,916
Restricted for perpetual care	363,928
Unrestricted	653,989
Total net assets	<u>\$ 4,492,833</u>

*SCHEDULE 1  
TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
Major General Fund*

*Schedule of Estimated and Actual Revenues (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)  
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2006*

	Estimated	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
<b>Taxes:</b>			
Property	\$ 887,499	\$ 847,485	\$ (40,014)
Land use change	8,000	24,820	16,820
Yield	5,000	15,971	10,971
Excavation	500	603	103
Payment in lieu of taxes	3,000	4,040	1,040
Interest and penalties on taxes	25,000	68,317	43,317
Total taxes	928,999	961,236	32,237
<b>Licenses, permits and fees:</b>			
Business licenses, permits and fees	-	577	577
Motor vehicle permit fees	250,000	258,494	8,494
Building permits	175	500	325
Other	3,000	5,149	2,149
Total licenses, permits and fees	253,175	264,720	11,545
<b>Intergovernmental:</b>			
State:			
Shared revenue block grant	13,147	13,147	-
Meals and rooms distribution	56,971	56,971	-
Highway block grant	71,788	71,788	-
State and federal forest land reimbursement	1,560	1,560	-
Other	-	475	475
Federal:			
FEMA	-	66,201	66,201
Total intergovernmental	143,466	210,142	66,676
<b>Charges for services:</b>			
Income from departments	15,500	23,219	7,719
<b>Miscellaneous:</b>			
Sale of municipal property	20,000	20,200	200
Interest on investments	-	20,007	20,007
Other	1,250	7,907	6,657
Total miscellaneous	21,250	48,114	26,864
<b>Other financing sources:</b>			
Transfers in:			
Permanent fund	2,500	4,870	2,370
Nonmajor funds:			
Expendable trust	40,245	40,245	-
Berry road bridge	-	36,273	36,273
Long-term debt issued	50,000	50,000	-
Total other financing sources	92,745	131,388	38,643
Total revenues and other financing sources	1,455,135	\$ 1,638,819	\$ 183,684
Unreserved fund balance used to reduce tax rate	335,000		
Total revenues, other financing sources and use of fund balance	\$ 1,790,135		



*SCHEDULE 2*  
*TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE*  
*Major General Fund*

*Schedule of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)*  
*For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2006*

	Encumbered From Prior Year	Appropriations	Expenditures	Encumbered To Subsequent Year	Variance Positive (Negative)
Current:					
General government:					
Executive	\$ -	\$ 65,866	\$ 65,181	\$ -	\$ 685
Election and registration	-	5,181	7,830	-	(2,649)
Financial administration	-	71,416	65,371	-	6,045
Revaluation of property	-	27,265	17,725	-	9,540
Legal	-	35,000	26,273	-	8,727
Personnel administration	-	131,693	131,511	-	182
Planning and zoning	2,720	18,086	13,685	-	7,121
General government buildings	-	12,380	18,447	-	(6,067)
Cemeteries	4,146	14,050	11,034	-	7,162
Insurance, not otherwise allocated	-	15,450	14,995	-	455
Advertising and regional associations	-	11,457	10,937	-	520
Other	-	1,800	2,995	-	(1,195)
Total general government	6,866	409,644	385,984	-	30,526
Public safety:					
Police	-	116,716	109,854	-	6,862
Ambulance	-	24,615	24,615	-	-
Fire	-	12,600	12,600	-	-
Emergency management	-	9,600	4,853	-	4,747
Other	-	-	2,007	-	(2,007)
Total public safety	-	163,531	153,929	-	9,602
Highways and streets:					
Highways and streets	-	347,620	365,983	-	(18,363)
Bridges	-	3,000	478	-	2,522
Street lighting	-	1,800	1,900	-	(100)
Total highways and streets	-	352,420	368,361	-	(15,941)
Sanitation:					
Solid waste disposal	-	127,005	113,890	-	13,115
Health:					
Administration	-	1,700	3,742	-	(2,042)
Health agencies and hospitals	-	13,380	13,380	-	-
Total health	-	15,080	17,122	-	(2,042)
Welfare:					
Direct assistance	-	14,000	7,238	-	6,762
Culture and recreation:					
Parks and recreation	-	20,910	20,628	-	282
Patriotic purposes	-	200	172	-	28
Total culture and recreation	-	21,110	20,800	-	310
Conservation	-	500	231	-	269

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*SCHEDULE 2 (Continued)*  
**TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
**Major General Fund**

*Schedule of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)*  
*For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2006*

	Encumbered From Prior Year	Appropriations	Expenditures	Encumbered To Subsequent Year	Variance Positive Negative
Debt service:					
Principal of long-term debt	-	48,500	55,533	-	(7,033)
Interest on long-term debt	-	21,300	21,368	-	(68)
Interest on tax anticipation notes	-	500	112	-	388
Other	-	500	-	-	500
Total debt service	-	70,800	77,013	-	(6,213)
Capital outlay:					
Flood damage	-	-	88,268	-	(88,268)
Bailey Road	-	250,000	249,011	-	989
Copy machine	-	4,700	4,075	-	625
Loader	-	106,245	126,245	-	(20,000)
Furnace replacement	-	10,000	10,000	-	-
Akerman bridge	5,000	-	-	5,000	-
Total capital outlay	5,000	370,945	477,599	5,000	(106,654)
Other financing uses:					
Transfers out:					
Town Hall building project	-	225,000	225,000	-	-
Nonmajor fund	-	20,100	20,100	-	-
Total other financing uses	-	245,100	245,100	-	-
Total appropriations, expenditures, other financing uses and encumbrances	\$ 11,866	\$ 1,790,135	\$ 1,867,267	\$ 5,000	\$ (70,266)

*SCHEDULE 3*  
**TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
**Major General Fund**

*Statement of Changes in Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)*  
*For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2006*

Unreserved, undesignated fund balance, beginning	\$ 745,802
Changes:	
Unreserved fund balance used to reduce 2006 tax rate	(335,000)
2006 Budget summary:	
Revenue surplus (Schedule 1)	\$ 183,684
Overdraft of appropriations (Schedule 2)	(70,266)
2006 Budget surplus	113,418
Unreserved, undesignated fund balance, ending	\$ 524,220

**PLODZIK & SANDERSON***Professional Association/Accountants & Auditors*193 North Main Street • Concord • New Hampshire • 03301-5063 • 603-225-6996 • FAX-224-1380***INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S COMMUNICATION OF  
CONTROL DEFICIENCIES AND OTHER MATTERS***

To the Members of the Board of Selectmen  
Town of Alexandria  
Alexandria, New Hampshire

In planning and reporting our audit of the financial statements of the Town of Alexandria as of and for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2006, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Town of Alexandria's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town of Alexandria's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town of Alexandria's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Town of Alexandria's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Town of Alexandria's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Town of Alexandria's internal control. We consider the following deficiencies to be significant deficiencies in internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Town of Alexandria's internal control. We believe that the following deficiencies constitute material weaknesses.

***GENERAL ACCOUNTING RECORDS***

A significant amount of additional time was spent by both the auditors and Town personnel to close and reconcile the records for year-end. Entries were needed to reverse prior year balances, record receivables and tax warrants and adjust account balances to actual year-end amounts.

We recommend the monthly reconciliation of all balance sheet accounts to ensure these problems do not occur again.

We still noted that there are unredeemed property taxes going back as far as 1988. New Hampshire law provides for deed of unredeemed lien property after two years. Because proper procedures have not always been followed throughout the whole lien process, many of these properties cannot be deeded. We recommend that all these accounts be investigated, and a determination of their status be made through consultation with the Town's attorney.

This communication is intended solely for the information and use of management, the board of selectmen, others within the organization and state agencies, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

October 29, 2007

*Plodzik & Sanderson  
Professional Association*



## Trustees of Trust Funds and Cemetery Trustees for year ending December 31, 2007

In 2007, money was disbursed to the Town of Alexandria for care of cemeteries, to the Haynes Memorial Library and to the Alexandria Church.

The Hearse House received repairs and new shingles, paid for with interest from the Crawford Fund and the 1942 Cemetery Fund.

At the Alexandria Village School, the hardwood floor was refinished, the floor by the sink was replaced and a new, inline water heater was installed; paid for with interest from the Perkins Trust Fund.

The fence at the Rhoades Cemetery was replaced by the cemetery crew. They did a great job and we have had many favorable comments about it. The fences at Riverside and Crawford have been painted.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne Cheney  
Carleen Stickney  
Douglas Benton

Trustees of Trusts Funds/Cemetery Trustees

## REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA, NH DECEMBER 31, 2007

Date	NAME OF TRUST FUND	Purpose	PRINCIPAL				INCOME				TOTAL		
			%	Balance Beginning Year	Net Money In/(Out)	Gain/Loss	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning	Earned During Year	Fees	2007 Expenditures	Balance End Year	Principal & Income
Mar 1884	Cass	Crawford Cem	0.39%	2,350.35		130.01	2,480.35	127.00	103.06	(14.70)	(10.37)	204.99	2,685.34
Nov 1886	Crawford	Crawford Cem	7.07%	42,934.66		2,374.86	45,309.52	2,667.15	1,882.59	(268.57)	(2,165.73)	2,115.44	47,424.97
Mar 1894	Perkins	Riverside Cem	0.42%	2,552.98		141.21	2,694.19	120.54	111.94	(15.97)	(20.74)	195.77	2,889.97
Mar 1896	Rhoades	Rhoades Cem	3.53%	21,470.02		1,187.58	22,657.60	0.00	941.41	(134.30)	(807.11)	0.00	22,657.60
Mar 1899	Cheney	Rhoades Cem	0.42%	2,552.98		141.21	2,694.19	120.54	111.94	(15.97)	(20.74)	195.77	2,889.97
Mar 1906	Burns	Burns Hill Cem	2.12%	12,886.63		712.80	13,599.43	0.00	565.05	(80.61)	(484.44)	0.00	13,599.43
Mar 1910	Leneghan	Bailey	1.41%	8,591.49		475.22	9,066.71	280.24	376.72	(53.74)	(184.79)	418.43	9,485.14
Sep 1918	Knowles	Riverside Cem	0.39%	2,350.38		130.01	2,480.38	126.98	103.06	(14.70)	(10.37)	204.97	2,685.35
Oct 1920	Berry	Riverside Cem	0.39%	2,350.38		130.01	2,480.38	126.98	103.06	(14.70)	(10.37)	204.97	2,685.35
Nov 1933	Cushing	Rhoades Cem	0.39%	2,350.38		130.01	2,480.38	126.98	103.06	(14.70)	(10.37)	204.97	2,685.35
Apr 1940	C.K. Gray	Riverside Cem	1.45%	8,793.68		486.41	9,280.09	527.25	385.58	(55.01)	(10.37)	847.46	10,127.55
May 1940	R.S. Gray	Pitman	0.74%	4,497.38		248.77	4,746.15	260.35	197.20	(28.13)	(10.37)	419.05	5,165.20
May 1942	H.W. Noyes	Rhoades Cem	0.77%	4,700.01		259.97	4,959.98	253.91	206.09	(29.40)	(20.74)	409.86	5,369.84
Sep 1942	A.C. Sleeper	Crawford Cem	0.39%	2,350.36		130.01	2,480.36	126.98	103.06	(14.70)	(10.37)	204.96	2,685.33
Sep 1943	Patten	Riverside Cem	0.39%	2,350.36		130.01	2,480.36	126.98	103.06	(14.70)	(10.37)	204.96	2,685.33
Apr 1945	Seavey	Riverside Cem	1.48%	8,996.49		497.63	9,494.12	520.81	394.48	(56.28)	(20.74)	838.27	10,332.39
Sep 1946	Akerman	Riverside Cem	0.77%	4,700.25		259.99	4,960.24	253.92	206.10	(29.40)	(20.74)	409.88	5,370.12
Sep 1946	Hines	Rhoades Cem	0.74%	4,497.38		248.77	4,746.15	260.35	197.20	(28.13)	(10.37)	419.05	5,165.20
Sep 1946	Twombly	Riverside Cem	0.74%	4,497.38		248.77	4,746.15	260.35	197.20	(28.13)	(10.37)	419.05	5,165.20
Sep 1949	G.W. Noyes	Rhoades Cem	0.77%	4,700.01		259.97	4,959.98	253.91	206.09	(29.40)	(20.74)	409.86	5,369.84
Jul 1968	Gifford Lot	Rhoades Cem	1.22%	7,426.32		410.78	7,837.10	442.31	325.63	(46.45)	(10.37)	711.11	8,548.21
Jul 1968	Lawrence Gray	Riverside Cem	0.70%	4,228.82		233.91	4,462.73	0.00	185.42	(26.45)	(158.97)	0.00	4,462.73
Dec 1980	R.B. Hutchins	Riverside Cem	0.85%	5,143.20		284.49	5,427.69	0.00	225.52	(32.17)	(193.35)	0.00	5,427.69
1942	Cemetery Fund	Riverside Cem	0.33%	1,990.18		110.08	2,100.27	0.00	87.27	(12.45)	(74.82)	0.00	2,100.27
Mar 1905	Perkins-School	Use as Needed	18.19%	110,492.46	1,000.00	6,111.72	117,604.17	19,636.57	4,844.86	(691.16)	(6,602.27)	17,187.99	134,792.16
Unknown	Literary	Schools	42.64%	259,042.84		14,328.54	273,371.38	26,303.19	11,358.47	(1,620.38)	(5,750.00)	30,291.28	303,662.66
Unknown	Ministerial	Schools	2.12%	12,880.86		712.48	13,593.34	0.00	564.80	(80.57)	(484.23)	0.00	13,593.34
Unknown	Church	Church	2.12%	12,880.86		712.48	13,593.34	0.00	564.80	(80.57)	(484.23)	0.00	13,593.34
Jul 1918	S.B. Sleeper	Church	7.07%	42,934.94		2,374.88	45,309.82	0.00	1,882.60	(268.57)	(1,616.04)	(2.00)	45,307.81
	Total		100%	607,494.01	1,000.00	33,602.57	642,096.58	52,923.31	26,637.30	(3,800.04)	(19,244.49)	56,516.08	698,612.66

# Town of Alexandria Capital Reserve Funds for year ending December 31, 2007

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS	PRINCIPAL					INCOME			TOTAL		
	%	Balance Beginning Year	Net Money In/(Out)	Gain/Loss	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Income %	Earned During Year	Expended	Balance	Principal & Income
										End Year	
Highway Equipment Fund	17.20%	28,755.00	(15,000.00)	0.00	13,755.00	7,978.21	17.20%	431.78		8,409.99	22,164.99
Fire Equipment Fund	55.32%	102,972.00		0.00	102,972.00	15,178.93	55.32%	2,246.89		17,425.82	120,397.82
Police Cruiser Fund	15.57%	25,149.51	(15,149.51)	0.00	10,000.00	8,106.57	15.57%	290.94	(6,850.49)	1,547.02	11,547.02
Town Shed Fund	2.06%	0.00		0.00	0.00	4,394.37	2.06%	29.49	(4,000.00)	423.86	423.86
Town Building	-0.01%	0.00		0.00	0.00	(29.04)	-0.01%	29.04		0.00	0.00
Town Dump Site Monitoring	9.81%	20,000.00		0.00	20,000.00	951.44	9.81%	398.43		1,349.87	21,349.87
Bridge	0.05%	100.00		0.00	100.00	1.13	0.05%	1.92		3.05	103.05
Total	100%	176,976.51	(30,149.51)	0.00	146,827.00	36,581.61	100%	3,428.49	(10,850.49)	29,159.61	175,986.61
Proof Sheet		176,976.51	(30,149.51)	0.00	146,827.00	36,581.61		3,428.49	(10,850.49)	29,159.61	175,986.61
Gov. Banking		0.00	(16,145.00)		0.00	777,185.79		3,399.45	0.00	602,742.75	155,986.60
		176,976.51	(14,004.51)	0.00	146,827.00	(740,604.18)	0.00	29.04	(10,850.49)	(573,583.14)	20,000.01



**Town of Alexandria  
Summary Balance Sheet  
December 31, 2007**

**ASSETS**

Checking/Savings/Investments	\$ 1,395,183.66
Receivables and other Assets	\$ 501,583.94
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b><u>\$ 1,896,767.60</u></b>

**LIABILITIES**

Accounts Payable	\$ 58,602.35
Other Current Liabilities	\$ 1,161,340.59
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 1,219,942.94</b>

<b>EQUITY (Unreserved Fund Balance)</b>	<b>\$ 676,824.66</b>
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<b>TOTAL LIABILITY AND EQUITY</b>	<b><u>\$ 1,896,767.60</u></b>
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The auditors have completed their review of the town's records and have confirmed the Unreserved Fund Balance as stated above. Due to extensive review requirements and report writing, the actual audit was not available for inclusion in this report. The auditor's notes for 2006 have been included; i.e., that portion of the report that states any findings. As soon as the 2007 audit report is completed, it will be made available to the public.

## Notes

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## The State of New Hampshire Town of Alexandria 2008 Town Warrant

To the inhabitants of the Town of Alexandria, in the County of  
Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Alexandria on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, 2008, at eleven o'clock in the morning to vote, by official ballot, on Article 1. The polls will be open from 11:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

1. To Choose such officers and committee members as are necessary for the ensuing year for the Town of Alexandria and to elect officers and to vote on questions required by law to be inserted on said official ballot, including a Floodplain Ordinance, and to vote on all Warrant Articles from the first session of the Newfound Area School District by official ballot.

You are further notified to meet at the Newfound Memorial Middle School  
in said Town of Bristol, New Hampshire on Thursday, March 13, 2008, at  
seven o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175,500 (gross budget) to purchase a 2008 10-Wheeler truck, and to authorize the issuance of not more than \$155,500 of bond or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33) and to authorize the municipal officials to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon; furthermore, to authorize the withdrawal of \$20,000 from the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund created for this purpose. **Passage of this article shall override the 10 percent limitation imposed on the appropriation due to the non-recommendation of the budget committee (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen) (2/3 Ballot vote required)**
3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$209,000 (gross budget) for the purchase of a two (2) acre tract of land located on Smith River Road in the Town, depicted on Alexandria Tax Map 418, as Lot 224, to be used as the Town Transfer Station and other such uses as the selectmen may see fit, and to authorize the issuance of a promissory note to the Seller in the amount of \$150,000 payable in increments of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) plus interest at a rate of ten percent (10%), paid annually over a period of five (5) years to purchase the parcel; with the balance of \$59,000 to be raised by taxation. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen) 2/3 Ballot vote required.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,426,428.00, as recommended by the Alexandria Budget Committee, which represents the general municipal budget for 2008. This article does not include special or individual articles to be addressed separately. (Selectmen recommend \$1,470,715.00)
5. To see if the Town will vote to rescind a vote taken per Article 26 of the 2004 Town Meeting that established a Municipal Budget Committee. The rescission is authorized by NH RSA 32:14 II and III. This shall be a ballot vote at the business meeting of the Town Meeting on March 13, 2008. (by petition)



6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be placed in the Fire Department Capital Reserve. (Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen)
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,990 for the purchase and installation of two in-cruiser video systems for the police cruisers. Project to be financed as follows: \$3,995 to be raised by taxation; \$3,995 to be received as a matching grant NH Highway Safety. This is a special warrant article in that if the grant is not received, the purchase will not be made. (Recommended by Budget Committee) (Not recommended by Selectmen)
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3400 in order to have a survey done of the common lines between the towns of Alexandria and Grafton. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen)
9. To see if the Town will vote to ratify the existence of the Alexandria Conservation Commission, so appointed, per RSA 36-A:2 with full rights and powers under this RSA, which includes the receipt of gifts of money or property in the name of the Town, subject to the approval of the governing body.
10. Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 79-A:25-a to account for revenues received from the land use change tax, up to 50%, in a fund separate from the general fund to be used for purposes of land conservation?
11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 to support the Newfound Lake Region Association. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee or Selectmen)
12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$26,500 in order to shim and overlay Belser Road. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen)
13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$59,850 to shim and overlay Walker Road. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen)
14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$62,000 to complete one mile of overlay on Mt. Cardigan Road. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen)
15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$14,200 for the Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department (AVFD) for the provision of fire fighting and prevention services and to continue the lease of the 1999 International Tanker to the AVFD, all pursuant to an agreement between the Town and the AVFD. (Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen)
16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to provide consultation to the Alexandria Planning Board with regard to subdivision and/ or other development projects. The money expended is reimbursable from the applicant. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen)
17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$669 as requested by the American Red Cross. (Not recommended by Selectmen or Budget Committee)
18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 for the purpose of installing floor drains and a holding tank in the highway garage. \$20,000 of this project will come from the 2007 fund balance; the remaining \$5,000 will be raised by taxation. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee) (Recommended by Selectmen)
19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be used to install the piping

- for radiant heat in the highway garage floor. (Not Recommended by Budget Committee or Selectmen)
20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be used, if necessary, for legal services to protect the Perkins Trust Fund. (Recommended by Budget Committee and Selectmen)
  21. To see if the Town will vote to modify the Optional Veteran's Tax Credit, as allowed by NHRSA 72:29, from \$200 to \$270.00. The qualifications for this credit shall remain as specified in NHRSA 72:27 and shall take effect immediately upon passage.
  22. To see if the Town will vote to modify the Elderly Exemptions, per NHRSA 72:39 as follows: 65-75 years of age, \$27,500; 75-80 years of age, \$42,000 and over 80 years of age, \$61,000; and to modify the asset and income levels as follows: Income Limit Single-\$20,500, Income Limit Married-\$30,000, Maximum Asset Level, excluding the value of the person's residence and two acres of land-\$64,000. The residency requirements as specified in NHRSA 72:30 shall remain the same. These levels will take effect upon passage and will be reflected in the 2008 tax bills, if approved.
  23. To see if the Town of Alexandria will vote to discontinue the use of PA-28, Inventory of Taxable Property. (by petition)
  24. Any other business to come before the town.

Respectfully submitted,

C.J. Williams

G.T. Gangemi  
Alexandria Board of Selectmen

Thomas McGowan

MS-7 Budget - Town of \_\_\_\_\_

Alexandria

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ACCT.#	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS (RSA 32:3.V)		OP Bud. Warr. Art.#	Appropriations		Actual Expenditures Prior Year	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS		BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIONS	
				Prior Year As Approved by DRA			Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED)	Ensuing Fiscal Year (NOT RECOMMENDED)	RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED
GENERAL GOVERNMENT										
4130-4139	Executive		4	71743	75140.62	109309	8506	108309	7506	
4140-4149	Election, Reg. & Vital Statistics		4	5150	6634.54	6066	-600	7979	1313	
4150-4151	Financial Administration		4	72720	73248.57	108432	2022	108832	422	
4152	Revaluation of Property		4	41327	42016.81	41327	0	41327	0	
4153	Legal Expense		4	30000	15935.92	22400	-7600	28400	-1600	
4155-4159	Personnel Administration		4	163184	163627.56	0	0	0	0	
4191-4193	Planning & Zoning		4	8791	8964.46	10839	-1500	9739	-2600	
4194	General Government Buildings		4	15700	24821.37	21612	3400	18212	0	
4195	Cemeteries		4	14000	13181.12	15536	0	15536	0	
4196	Insurance		4	17200	16749.02	17200	0	17200	0	
4197	Advertising & Regional Assoc.		4	11851	11850.79	12675	824	12675	824	
4199	Other General Government		4	2500	1035	2500	0	1500	-1000	
PUBLIC SAFETY										
4210-4214	Police		4	130339	129446.88	156630	-23474	155000	-25104	
4215-4219	Ambulance		4	25777	25777	26000	0	26000	0	
4220-4229	Fire									
4240-4249	Building Inspection									
4290-4298	Emergency Management		4	11100	5272.59	8168	-3636	12000	196	
4299	Other (Including Communications)									
AIRPORT/AVIATION CENTER										
4301-4309	Airport Operations									
HIGHWAYS & STREETS										
4311	Administration		4	432380	454926.52	529901	7077	482549	-40275	
4312	Highways & Streets									
4313	Bridges		4	10000	12624.25	10000	0	10000	0	

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<b>HIGHWAYS &amp; STREETS cont.</b>									
4316	Street Lighting	4	2000	1926.13	2000	0	2000	0	
4319	Other								
<b>SANITATION</b>									
4321	Administration								
4323	Solid Waste Collection								
4324	Solid Waste Disposal	4	126688	112590.97	143102	-2499	143102	-2499	
4325	Solid Waste Clean-up								
4326-4329	Sewage Coll. & Disposal & Other								
<b>WATER DISTRIBUTION &amp; TREATMENT</b>									
4331	Administration								
4332	Water Services								
4335-4339	Water Treatment, Conserv. & Other								
<b>ELECTRIC</b>									
4351-4352	Admin. and Generation								
4353	Purchase Costs								
4354	Electric Equipment Maintenance								
4359	Other Electric Costs								
<b>HEALTH/WELFARE</b>									
4411	Administration	4	3800	4710.45	4470	-700	5170	0	
4414	Pest Control								
4415-4419	Health Agencies & Hosp. & Other	4	14050	14050	15010	-2990	15010	-2990	
4441-4442	Administration & Direct Assist.	4	14000	7659.45	16000	2000	16000	2000	
4444	Intergovernmental Welfare Pymnts								
4445-4449	Vendor Payments & Other								

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<b>CULTURE &amp; RECREATION</b>								
4520-4529	Parks & Recreation	4	22425	22425	24125	1700	24125	1700
4550-4559	Library							
4583	Patriotic Purposes	4	350	178.16	350	0	350	0
4589	Other Culture & Recreation							
<b>CONSERVATION</b>								
4611-4612	Admin. & Purch. of Nat. Resources	4	500	469.66	500	-550	1050	0
4619	Other Conservation							
4631-4632	REDEVELOPMNT & HOUSING							
4651-4659	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT							
<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>								
4711	Princ.- Long Term Bonds & Notes	4	122500	82598.97	133559	0	133559	0
4721	Interest-Long Term Bonds & Notes	4	32300	22203.15	31304	0	31304	0
4723	Int. on Tax Anticipation Notes	4	500	500	500	0	500	0
4790-4799	Other Debt Service	4	1000	287.13	1000	0	1000	0
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>								
4901	Land							
4902	Machinery, Vehicles & Equipment							
4903	Buildings							
4909	Improvements Other Than Bldgs.							
<b>OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT</b>								
4912	To Special Revenue Fund							
4913	To Capital Projects Fund							
4914	To Enterprise Fund							
	Sewer-							
	Water-							

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OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT cont.								
	Electric-		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
	Airport-							
4915	To Capital Reserve Fund *							
4916	To Exp. Tr.Fund-except #4917 *							
4917	To Health Maint. Trust Funds *							
4918	To Nonexpendable Trust Funds							
4919	To Fiduciary Funds							
OPERATING BUDGET TOTAL				1350352.09	1470515	-18020	1426428	-62107

\* Use special warrant article section on next page.



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\*\*\*INDIVIDUAL WARRANT ARTICLES\*\*\*

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			Prior Year As Approved by DRA	14200		(RECOMMENDED)	Ensuing Fiscal Year (NOT RECOMMENDED)	RECOMMENDED	Ensuing Fiscal Year NOT RECOMMENDED
	Alexandria Vol. Fire Dept.			14200	14200	14200	0	16860	2660
	Road Projects			190000	190000	148350	0	0	148350
	Fuel Tank			8500	8500	0	0	0	0
	Bridge Engineering			90000	4092	0	0	0	0
	Other			0	0	36400	-25159	12900	-52569
	INDIVIDUAL ARTICLES RECOMMENDED		XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	199950	XXXXXXXXXX	29850	XXXXXXXXXX

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ACCT.#	SOURCE OF REVENUE	Warr. Art.#	Estimated Revenues Prior Year	Actual Revenues Prior Year	Estimated Revenues Ensuing Year
<b>TAXES</b>			<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
3120	Land Use Change Taxes - General Fund		1000	28006	1000
3180	Resident Taxes				
3185	Timber Taxes		5000	11620.03	8000
3186	Payment in Lieu of Taxes		3000	6432.55	3000
3189	Other Taxes				
3190	Interest & Penalties on Delinquent Taxes		25000	81908.61	30000
	Inventory Penalties				
3187	Excavation Tax (\$.02 cents per cu yd)		300	499	300
<b>LICENSES, PERMITS &amp; FEES</b>			<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
3210	Business Licenses & Permits				
3220	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		250000	253913.95	250000
3230	Building Permits		500	1886	1000
3290	Other Licenses, Permits & Fees		2000	7972.94	5500
3311-3319	<b>FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT</b>				
<b>FROM STATE</b>			<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
3351	Shared Revenues		7050	13147	13000
3352	Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution		50000	62763.2	55000
3353	Highway Block Grant		69000	69001.14	71000
3354	Water Pollution Grant				
3355	Housing & Community Development				
3356	State & Federal Forest Land Reimbursement		2000	1291.99	1000
3357	Flood Control Reimbursement				
3359	Other (Including Railroad Tax)		72000	0	0
3379	<b>FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS</b>				
<b>CHARGES FOR SERVICES</b>			<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
3401-3406	Income from Departments		15000	50701.15	25000
3409	Other Charges		0	2946.69	0
<b>MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES</b>			<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
3501	Sale of Municipal Property		0	8100	0
3502	Interest on Investments				
3503-3509	Other				
<b>INTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS IN</b>			<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>	<b>XXXXXXXXXX</b>
3912	From Special Revenue Funds				
3913	From Capital Projects Funds				

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ACCT.#	SOURCE OF REVENUE	Warr. Art.#	Estimated Revenues Prior Year	Actual Revenues Prior Year	Estimated Revenues Ensuing Year
INTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS IN cont.			XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
3914	From Enterprise Funds				
	Sewer - (Offset)				
	Water - (Offset)				
	Electric - (Offset)				
	Airport - (Offset)				
3915	From Capital Reserve Funds		57000	57000	
3916	From Trust & Fiduciary Funds		2500	7141.99	5000
3917	Transfers from Conservation Funds				
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES			XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
3934	Proc. from Long Term Bonds & Notes		130000	130000	
	Amounts VOTED From F/B ("Surplus")				
	Fund Balance ("Surplus") to Reduce Taxes				
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE & CREDITS			691350	794335.24	462800

**\*\*BUDGET SUMMARY\*\***

	PRIOR YEAR ADOPTED BUDGET	SELECTMEN'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET
Operating Budget Appropriations Recommended (from pg. 5)	1403875	1470515	1426428
Special Warrant Articles Recommended (from pg. 6)	217000	394500	10000
Individual Warrant Articles Recommended (from pg. 6)	430500	198950	29850
TOTAL Appropriations Recommended	2051375	2063965	1466278
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues & Credits (from above)	691350	788300	462800
Estimated Amount of Taxes to be Raised	1360025	1275665	1003478

Maximum Allowable Increase to Budget Committee's Recommended Budget per RSA 32:18: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (See Supplemental Schedule With 10% Calculation) \$130,091.00

### Supplemental Schedule w/10% Calculation for 2008 Budget

Total Recommended by Budget Committee Including Warrant Articles	\$ 1,466,278.00
Less Money to come from Bond/Notes (Only if article has been recommended by Budget Committee)	\$ -
Less Principal/Interest on Bonds/Notes	\$ (165,363.00)
Total Recommended less Bonds/Notes/Principal/Interest	\$ 1,300,915.00
10%	\$ 130,091.00
Total Appropriations Passed at Town Meeting Cannot Exceed	\$ 1,596,369.00



## Administrator's Report for year ending December 31, 2007

There were 13 driveway access permits and 17 building permits issued by the town in 2007. We are certainly growing! The assessors completed their update of values, and by town meeting I hope to be able to provide you with the new equalization rate. The auditors have come and gone; the fund balance is printed in this report and the auditor's full report will be available at a later date.

My thanks go out to all those who helped with the community garden this past year; Judy Kraemer, Parkhurst Hardware, Cub Scout Pack #59, the Alexandria Highway Department and those who have donated plants—Margaret Green, Jeff & Lisa Cantara, Maggie LaBerge, Judy Kraemer, Cindy Williams (in memory of Bob Ramsey) and Cat White. I hope I didn't forget anyone.

Here is my annual list of dates to remember.....

1. Abatement requests are due in the selectmen's office by March 1, 2008
2. Applications for elderly, blind or disabled exemptions are due by April 15.
3. Applications for veteran's credit are due by April 15.
4. If the state approves the Low/Moderate Property Tax program again this year, we will not see those applications until approximately April 30.
5. Reports of Timber Cut are due within 60 days of completion or May 15, whichever comes first.
6. Driveway applications are necessary for timber operations if you are not using an existing access.
7. Building permits are required if you are adding a bedroom to an existing building, constructing a new residential building or constructing a commercial building. In order to have a building permit application reviewed, you must have an existing driveway or an approved access permit, a state approved septic system design and your NH Energy Compliance Certificate unless you are heating with wood.
8. Property assessment cards for your property, and those of anyone else, are public information. They may be purchased through the selectmen's office.

The office is open from 8-4 Monday through Friday and Cat and I are available by phone to answer questions you may have on any of the above.

Thank you for all of the support you give during the year!

Respectfully submitted,  
Christie Phelps  
Town Administrator

## Town of Alexandria Office of Town Clerk / Tax Collector

2007 has been a good year, getting acclimated to the new office building with more space and storage. It is great!

Wellington Beach passed for 2008 will again be available for residents/landowners. They will be available after April 1 at a cost of \$3.00 for ages 12 and older, ages 6-11 need a pass, but it is free. Anyone under five or over sixty-five does not get charged as long as they are a New Hampshire resident.

April 30th is the deadline for licensing dogs. ALL dogs 3 months and older need to be licensed, regardless of the time of year. The fee is \$9.00 for unaltered male or female; \$6.50 for spayed/neutered animals. A group license is \$20.00 for one owner with five or more dogs. Seniors over 65 receive a discounted fee of \$2.00 for the first dog, with any additional dog(s) being charged at full price. Late fees of \$1.00/month begin in May with fines of up to \$25.00 as of June 1st per RSA 466:13. Please bring all up-to-date rabies information with you when licensing your dog(s).

The online program with the State is going very well; on average it takes only about five minutes to do a single registration. We are on schedule to get new printers through DMV. They are supposed to print out registrations in a matter of 2-3 seconds, speeding up the process even more! Please remember to bring in your old registration when renewing.

Several new and convenient things will become available in 2008. The first should be ready in late spring. C.O.M.P.A.S.S., with the State of NH DMV, is an on-line registration renewal program. An Alexandria resident will be able to go on line through the NH website and REWEW (nothing else) any vehicle under 8,000 GVW and with these plates; PASS, IPASS (vanity plates) and CPASS/HPASS regular and vanity. There is a \$5.00 per registration fee, (\$2.50 will go to Alexandria; \$2.50 to the state). We also hope to be implementing renewal notices by mail. They will be sent out in the month prior to your renewal month. Checks made out to the Town of Alexandria and State of NH DMV, and a self-addressed stamped envelope can be sent to the clerk's office and your renewals will be returned within one week!

Taxes were sent out in May with a due date of July 2nd and in November with a due date of December 31st. Total property taxes committed for 2007 were \$3,895,951.80, and only \$443,801 remains uncollected, less than 12%. Deeding will be done in August this year on property owing taxes from 2005.

Regards,

Barbara Emery

Town Clerk/Tax Collector

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**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**For the Municipality of ALEXANDRIA Year Ending 12/31/2007**DEBITS**

UNCOLLECTED TAXES AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR*			PRIOR LEVIES		
		2007	2006	2005	2004+
Property Taxes	#3110	XXXXXX	\$ 373,615.21	\$ 754.31	\$ 6,280.94
Resident Taxes	#3180	XXXXXX	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Land Use Change Taxes	#3120	XXXXXX	\$ 5,270.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Timber Yield Taxes	#3185	XXXXXX	\$ 3,916.99	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	#3187	XXXXXX	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Utility Charges	#3189	XXXXXX	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Betterment Taxes		XXXXXX	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
		XXXXXX			
		XXXXXX			

**TAXES COMMITTED THIS FISCAL YEAR**

Property Taxes	#3110	\$ 3,895,951.80	\$ 314.17
Resident Taxes	#3180	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Land Use Change Taxes	#3120	\$ 18,783.00	\$ 0.00
Timber Yield Taxes	#3185	\$ 4,849.07	\$ 0.00
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	#3187	\$ 249.50	\$ 0.00
Utility Charges	#3189	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Betterment Taxes		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

**FOR DRA USE ONLY****OVERPAYMENTS**

Remaining From Prior Year		\$ 6,390.81			
New This Fiscal Year		\$ 4,005.61			
Interest - Late Tax	#3190	\$ 2,519.35	\$ 21,773.97	\$ 24.25	\$ 1.16
Resident Tax Penalty	#3190	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>		<b>\$ 3,932,749.14</b>	<b>\$ 404,890.34</b>	<b>\$ 778.56</b>	<b>\$ 6,282.10</b>

\*This amount should be the same as the last year's ending balance. If not, please explain.



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**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**For the Municipality of ALEXANDRIA Year Ending 12/31/2007**DEBITS**

UNREDEEMED & EXECUTED LIENS	2007	PRIOR LEVIES		
		2006	2005	2004+
Unredeemed Liens Beginning of FY		\$ 0.00	\$ 58,599.95	\$ 151,349.90
Liens Executed During FY	\$ 0.00	\$ 116,591.94	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Unredeemed Elderly Liens Beg. of FY		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Elderly Liens Executed During FY	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00		
Interest & Costs Collected	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,933.39	\$ 5,920.48	\$ 7,834.15
<b>TOTAL LIEN DEBITS</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 119,525.33</b>	<b>\$ 64,520.43</b>	<b>\$ 159,184.05</b>

**CREDITS**

REMITTED TO TREASURER		2007	PRIOR LEVIES		
			2006	2005	2004+
Redemptions		\$ 0.00	\$ 46,688.63	\$ 28,869.53	\$ 20,295.79
Interest & Costs Collected	#3190	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,933.39	\$ 5,920.48	\$ 7,834.15
Abatements of Unredeemed Liens		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 16,570.57
Liens Deeded to Municipality		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Unredeemed Liens End of FY	#1110	\$ 0.00	\$ 69,903.31	\$ 29,730.42	\$ 114,483.54
Unredeemed Elderly Liens End of FY		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL LIEN CREDITS</b>		<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 119,525.33</b>	<b>\$ 64,520.43</b>	<b>\$ 159,184.05</b>

Does your municipality commit taxes on a semi-annual basis (RSA 76:15-a) ? \_\_\_\_\_

TAX COLLECTOR'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Barbara M. Emery

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**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**For the Municipality of ALEXANDRIA Year Ending 12/31/2007**CREDITS**

REMITTED TO TREASURER	2007	PRIOR LEVIES		
		2006	2005	2004+
Property Taxes	\$ 3,437,832.29	\$ 262,552.71	\$ 67.78	\$ 3,043.46
Resident Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Land Use Change Taxes	\$ 11,783.00	\$ 120.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Timber Yield Taxes	\$ 3,200.92	\$ 3,743.33	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Interest & Penalties	\$ 2,519.35	\$ 21,773.97	\$ 24.25	\$ 1.16
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	\$ 249.50	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Utility Charges	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Converted To Liens (Principal only)	\$ 0.00	\$ 105,859.90	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Betterment Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Discounts Allowed	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Prior Year Overpayments Assigned	\$ 559.17			

**ABATEMENTS MADE**

Property Taxes	\$ 21,317.62	\$ 8,050.46	\$ 9.53	\$ 1,885.48
Resident Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Land Use Change Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,560.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Timber Yield Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 173.29	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Utility Charges	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Betterment Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>CURRENT LEVY DEEDED</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

**UNCOLLECTED TAXES -- END OF YEAR #1080**

Property Taxes	\$ 436,801.89	\$ 56.31	\$ 677.00	\$ 1,352.00
Resident Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Land Use Change Taxes	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Timber Yield Taxes	\$ 1,648.15	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Utility Charges	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Betterment Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Remaining Overpayments - Prior Yrs.	\$ 5,831.64			
Remaining Overpayments - This Year	\$ 398.61			
This Years' Overpayments Returned	\$ 3,607.00			
Prior Years' Overpayments Returned	\$ 0.00			
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>\$ 3,932,749.14</b>	<b>\$ 404,890.34</b>	<b>\$ 778.56</b>	<b>\$ 6,282.10</b>

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT  
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**

Motor Vehicle Registrations	\$	244,062.95
Motor Vehicle Title Fees	\$	936.00
Motor Vehicle Fee Account	\$	8,915.00
Wellington Beach Passes	\$	2,514.00
Dog Licenses	\$	3,077.00
Dog License Fines	\$	144.50
Filing Fees	\$	6.00
Marriage Licenses	\$	77.00
UCC Fees	\$	350.00
Vital Statistic Fees	\$	508.00
Boat Permits	\$	55.28
Boat Agent Fee	\$	15.00
Other Town Clerk Income	\$	1,232.16
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<b>TOTAL TOWN CLERK REVENUE</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>261,892.89</b>



## SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

There were 2 elections in 2007; the town election, and the special school district election.

We have already had one election in 2008, the Presidential Primary, which was held on January 8, to maintain our "first in the nation" status.

Important dates for 2008 are;

Town Election.....March 11, 2008.....11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Town Meeting.....March 13, 2008.....7:00 p.m. at N.M.M.S.  
State Primary Election.....September 9, 2008.....8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
General Election.....November 4, 2008.....8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

June 3, 2008....Supervisor's Session....7:00 to 7:30 p.m. Last day for voters already registered to change or declare party affiliation before the State Primary. The checklist can be seen any time the town clerk's office is open. Please remember to check your party status before this date. You can change your party at the town clerk's office or with the supervisors.

At this time, we have 1099 registered voters in Alexandria.

At the Presidential Primary we registered 65 new voters, many of them first time voters of all ages. Some people are apprehensive of their first voting experience, but we try to make it a very positive and rewarding experience. If you register before Election Day and come in to vote for the first time, you can come to the back of the room and ask for help from the supervisors and we will explain the procedure. Don't worry, it's easy.

We had a 61% voter turnout for the primary, which is about 22% higher than the last Presidential Primary. Of course, town meeting and the general election bring a higher turnout, so it will be interesting to see what the numbers are. Alexandria tends have a high percentage of registered voters and a high voter turnout compared to many other towns. And New Hampshire has a high turnout compared to the national average. Keep up the good work! Stay informed and VOTE!

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne Cheney  
Loretta Brouillard  
George Whittaker  
Supervisors of the Checklist

## Alexandria Highway Department for year ending December 31, 2007

When I first came on board as road agent, I was not sure where to start; there was so much to be done. Mother Nature decided she would help me out. Thankfully, I had a good crew. A road agent is nothing more than an elected official without a crew. I can't thank them enough for what they did this year. A special thanks to Ron MacLean and David Blais—they stuck it out from day one and never let me down.

We started off the season cutting trees and brush on Plumer Hill and moved on to Bailey Road in preparation for the road project. We hope to do more this way, but time is limited and the workload is large.

Mother's Day brought the flooding. We had extensive damage on seven of our roads. We had some sort of damage on almost all of our roads. In addition, we still had the Bailey Road project to complete. How were we going to get all this done? We stepped up to the plate. We hired some local contractors to help out on some projects. I would like to thank Ken Braley and Bill Hall for all their help. I would also like to thank George Whittaker and Ed Skroback for some of their knowledge and guidance with the FEMA process. Through FEMA and a lot of paperwork, we received roughly \$90,000 in flood relief. With the help of the hired contractors and GMI Asphalt as hired trucks, we quickly fixed the severely damaged roads. Thousands of yards of gravel and numerous culvert replacements later, we split into two crews of just two people each. One crew went to Bailey Road, and one stayed to complete the remaining repairs. We never let up, and in June we were hit again with big rains. We lost two roads extensively and suffered numerous minor damages. We had to rethink the drainage on Bailey Road. We put the crew back as one and Bailey was on hold. This time the damage was in a different part of town. It was closer to our materials, which made repairs quicker. We went about all of our repairs in a different manner, almost to the point of overkill. We hope not to return to these spots.

With rain damage taken care of, we again split into two crews: one back to Bailey Road and one to finish repairs and grade roads. In late August, we regrouped and concentrated efforts on Bailey Roads. Due to time constraints, we hired Kuplin Land Services to help out with some of the smaller culvert replacements. We did all the cross pipes. One of these was a 60" pipe; two were 48". We used concrete headwalls for added stability. GMI Asphalt then came in and added gravels and 2" of single coarse asphalt. We hydro seeded the slopes and widened the rails on the bridge. I think the road is great. The drainage works well, and we came in under the \$250,000 budget—a far cry from the anticipated \$495,000.

The rest of the year remained very busy. We experience numerous breakdowns with the trucks. The trucks are tired, and they remind us of this constantly. We spent a lot of time and money trying to keep them running.

We are using a product called ledge-pak on our roads. It costs a little more, but the results are worth it. When we get good compaction it lasts longer, which means less grading and a cost savings. It also means less wear and tear on the machines. We have set up an aggressive schedule to catch up on the maintenance of our roads. In order to do this, we need to increase the funding of the department to cover the cost of equipment, sufficient labor and materials. We will do this to whatever level you, the voters, decide. I can only make recommendations. I urge people to come to town meeting and give us support. We will continue to do the best we can with what we are given. Our service is dependent upon the level of funds and tools we receive. We have many new ideas to help stretch our dollars and strive to do so. We are also open to suggestions and appreciate input. Together we all can make a difference.

Thank you for your patience and support.

Jeff Cantara, Road Agent



## **ALEXANDRIA HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**

First, and most importantly, I would like to thank my crew; obviously for all they give and the hard work they do, but also for all they give up. During the winter months, it seems life gets put on hold. THANK YOU.

2007 started off rather strangely. We were grading roads and battling mud in January. After that, with cold temperatures and no snow cover, we were trying to thaw culverts for weeks; some culverts many times. Winter picked up eventually and became harsh later in the season with several large storms. The final storm of the season ended in heavy rain. With large snow banks, frozen culverts and ditches, this rain had nowhere to go but down the road, resulting in many washouts. Washburn Road was hit especially hard. Once again, our spring was spent moving massive amounts of material and rebuilding roads. Thankfully the area was declared an emergency and FEMA reimbursed the town 75% over the costs with the state kicking in another 12 ½%.

Throughout the year we were able to make great strides with tree problems. With the help of Evans Trees Service and Corliss Timber Harvesting, we took down some very dangerous trees on Cass Mill and Mount Cardigan Roads. We hope to be able to do some additional tree work in 2008, budget permitting. With rented mowers we did roadside mowing for the first time in six or seven years. We are hoping to make this an annual event. In areas where the brush was too heavy to mow, hand cutting was applied.

There were numerous culverts replaced throughout the town. We added thousands of yards of gravel to our many miles of gravel roads. Also during the course of the year we did some ditching, paved Solar Acres Road, did an overlay on Berry Road, made some repairs to the Washburn Road Bridge to help it last until funding is available to replace it and several other small projects.

On top of all that we completed one mile of repair to Fowler River Road. With the funding you approved, we were able to grind the existing asphalt, replace culverts with bigger and better quality ones, remove ledge from the roadside and roadbed, clean up slopes, add gravel, repave, seed disturbed areas, replace guardrail and add some new guardrail where it was need. This project came with its share of difficulties. We would like you to know that when the highway department is out working on any road, we are not purposely trying to interfere with your commute and cause any problems for you; we are simply trying to improve the roads for your comfort and safety. PLEASE BE PATIENT WITH US. The State of New Hampshire gives authority to the road agent to close a road when the public safety is at risk, be it for a downed tree, culvert replacement, road deficiencies or improvements. This authority is not used indiscriminately.

Fowler River Road has 8,000 feet remaining for repair. This would get us to the intersection of Welton Falls Road. I would like to approach the town in 2009 for the funding to complete this project. I feel it is only fair to get a little work done in different areas of the town each year,



Therefore, I have made recommendations for repairs on the south side of town for 2008, but would like to finish Fowler River Road in the near future. There is a lot of work to be done in the town, and I would like to do it. I want to work with the taxpayers and not burden them. I have not figured out how to do this work without funding, but I will always give you all I can with whatever funding you approve.

During the past year we have worked to keep our aging fleet in working conditions. We appreciate the two F-550s you voted for us last year. We have a fleet of six trucks, three of which are six-wheelers that need replacing. Only one of these is worth running as a spare. One is a 1988, one is a 1991 and one is a 1997. Our current ten-wheeler is a 2001. For what the larger trucks are put through, especially during winter months in such harsh terrain, ten years is the maximum life span for these vehicles. We will be asking to replace two of the older six-wheelers. A ten-wheeler will haul twice as much and will hold up better for the jobs that we need it to do. We would greatly appreciate your support.

I want to thank all of you who support me and my crew. For those of you who may not, I hope we can work together to continue moving forward in a positive manner for the beautiful little town we all call home.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Cantara, Road Agent

## Alexandria Police Department for year ending December 31, 2007

The Alexandria Police Department has experienced a significant increase in demand for services. We concentrated on traffic enforcement and follow-up investigations to crime. I am pleased to say that we almost tripled the number of Motor Vehicle Stops and substantially increased the number of criminal cases filed with and prosecuted in court. In fact, the big increase in assault cases is a direct result of our zero tolerance regarding domestic violence incidents. Other than the assaults, our crime rate stayed constant which is quite an achievement considering the national trend and our increase in calls for service.

We saw the retirement of Ernie Parmenter and the addition of Officer Angela Lyford. We have a new cruiser in service and some new traffic radar units that should go a long way in further improving our traffic law enforcement. We now have mutual aid agreements with other Newfound Area agencies. One of our goals for 2007 was to decrease the reliance on the New Hampshire State Police. They are spread very thin and response times are very long. I am happy to report that we have reduced the number of times that the NHSP responded to Alexandria by more than 75%. The Department handled requests to serve the citizens of Alexandria!

All in all, it was a very busy and exciting year. I am settled in and very happy that I made the decision to come to New Hampshire. A new Policy and Regulations Manual is almost complete. The Regulations are in compliance with an internationally recognized set of standards as set forth by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). CALEA is an international organization dedicated to helping law enforcement agencies organize their operations. Compliance with CALEA standards goes a long way in limiting exposure to liability and providing accountability to the people we serve.

The Department remains dedicated to serving and protecting the people of the Town of Alexandria.

Sincerely at your service,

Frank A. Hinkle

Chief of Police

<i>Calls for Service</i>	<i>2006</i>	<i>2007</i>	<i>Crimes*</i>	<i>2006</i>	<i>2007</i>
Total Calls for Service	1415	1966	Burglary	15/3	8/3
Motor Vehicle Crash	35	46	Assault	10/10	20/20
Alarms	26	33	Auto Theft	5/0	6/1
Domestic Disturbance	30	47	Trespass	10/4	12/1
Citizen Assist	34	75	Criminal Mischief	5/4	12/1
Animal Complaint	90	99	* The first number indicates incidents reported the second number is actual after investigation.		
Medical Emergency	21	31			
Traffic Complaint/ Road Hazzards	44	79			
Motor Vehicle Stops	88	247			
Suicide Threats	6	1			
VIN Verifications	26	41			
Suspicious Incidents	20	22			
Administrative Calls	518	748			

## Alexandria Transfer Station for year ending December 31, 2007

I know by the time you read this, your thoughts will be about planting a garden, fertilizing the lawn and other spring things. But as I sit here composing this, the temperature outside is 3 degrees Fahrenheit; that's minus 16 degrees Centigrade (never did understand the difference).

Yesterday we watched the Patriots and NY Giants battle to win the chance to compete in this year's Super Bowl. It's hard to believe that you could find that many thousands of people who would pay the outrageous ticket price to sit in zero degree weather to watch a bunch of overpaid, muscle-bound men beat each other up over a piece of leather. Where were we? Why, we were sitting in our comfortable rec. room, with the wood stove cranking and a cold beer in hand. Now you decide who's crazy.

Did you pay any attention to those ridiculous commercials? A guy driving along carrying on a conversation with a red squirrel, a few hundred rabbits hopping around singing the praises of Sony; sure is a challenge to your intelligence. Now for some important stuff.

Our mixed paper recycling program is going real well. We hauled 17 loads last year at an average of 4.89 tons per load. The current price paid is \$80/ton. The hauling charge is \$210/load, but the big savings is in keeping this weight out of the compactor. This results in a savings of \$90.90 per ton. The total revenue to our town--\$9,117.66 for the year.....AND we saved over 1,800 trees by recycling our paper!

The only drawback to this continues to be the constant monitoring it requires--the people who will not flatten boxes, remove Styrofoam or other packing materials and the ever-present pizza boxes! We have several people who assist us when they see these contaminants, and we thank them for their help and concern.

We have recently signed a new five year agreement with Waste Management to haul our containers. The hauling charge has gone up from \$115/load to \$199. The tonnage charge has increased from \$62/ton to \$75/ton for regular trash and from \$61/ton up to \$78/ton for demolition debris. I guess the only thing that does down is your well water.

Thanks to all the kind, understanding and thoughtful people who make my job easier and are the reason why I keep coming back for more.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Paterson



## Alexandria Planning Board for year ending December 31, 2007

From subdivisions to boundary line adjustments to regular and timely administrative tasks, the Alexandria Planning Board has been busy this past year.

Subdivision regulations have been amended to reflect the voters' 2007 wishes on road standards. The subdivision regulations now match the town's regulations.

After three years, the compliance of gravel pits has been nearly completed. Four pits are completely permitted by the state and Alexandria for operations, and two pits have completed the reclamation process.

The Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) has held public meetings and has been completed in time for the annual town meeting. A CIP is a working schedule of equipment costs for replacement and repair. The document will be changed and amended as costs and priorities change.

Additional public hearings were also held for the proposed Alexandria Land Use and Zoning Ordinance, as well as the Floodplain Ordinance.

There have been several proposed subdivisions presented to the board as well as boundary line adjustments. One of the issues continues to be perimeter survey. The planning board is requiring full perimeter survey for subdivision parcels as stated in the regulations.

The Eastman Hill subdivision and its problems have been largely resolved to the satisfaction of the town and owners.

This coming year will see a definition of "active and substantial" completion in the subdivision regulations as well as a specific list of subdivisions, approvals and their details.

Training continues to an ongoing process, particularly in the areas of forestry, shoreline protection and renewable energy. If any citizens are interested in training, please contact us and we will forward information.

The planning board meetings are held the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM with the exception of December, January and February when meetings begin at 6:00 PM with work sessions at 5:00 PM. Work sessions are scheduled and posted as necessary.

I want to thank the entire planning board membership for their continued dedication and work. We welcome the public to all of our meetings. If you have any questions, complaints or comments regarding the planning board, please submit them in writing to us and we will respond to them as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,  
Margaret M. LaBerge, Chairman

## Alexandria Budget Committee for year ending December 21, 2007

This past year has been a heavy financial burden on all of us. As your representatives on the Alexandria Budget Committee, we have tried to keep expenditures as low as possible and still provide the funding necessary for the town departments to give service to the residents.

The town portion of our tax bill this year was increased by only fourteen cents. You may notice in the budget reports that many departments show a substantial increase for 2008. This is due to a transfer of line items from the personnel benefits budget (worker's compensation, social security, Medicare, health insurance, unemployment and retirement). Now each department shows its own operating costs and employee benefits.

Your budget committee has held many meetings, which are all public, and has received some valuable input from the taxpayers.

The members of the budget committee value your support and input in helping them do a difficult job when it comes to spending taxpayer's money. We will continue to be diligent and conservative in our duties and thank you for the opportunity to serve you.

Respectfully submitted,  
Harold T. Reilly, Sr., Chairman  
William Grout, Vice Chairman  
Virginia Duggan  
William Hall  
Frederick Platts  
Harold Platts

## Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department for year ending December 31, 2007

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself; my name is Dennis Manchester. I am the new Fire Chief as of January, 2008 and have been a resident of Alexandria for 16 years. I have 20 years of experience as a firefighter, fifteen of those on the Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department. Certified in New Jersey and New Hampshire as a Level I and Level II firefighter, I have served as Lieutenant, Captain, and for the last two years as Deputy Chief. My goals for the coming year include implementation of the standard operating procedures, firefighter and EMS training and bringing our department into compliance with the National Incident Command System, which was set into place as a result of the September 11th terrorist attack.

The Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department had a busy year. Our total calls increased to 198. These calls consisted of 58 fires, 110 medical, 25 mutual aid and 5 services. Every year we see an increase in calls due to the growth of our town. We experience a wide variety of emergencies, ranging from auto and boat accidents, ice rescues, structure and wildland fires, lost and injured hikers as well as many types of medical assistance calls.

We are always looking to recruit new firefighters. This year we were fortunate to have three new members; John Emery, John Lautch and Dan Milligan. Along with Jeff Cantara, John Emery is employed by the Alexandria Highway Department. This is an additional benefit to the fire department as these individuals are readily available to respond during the daytime when our response time is lower due to many members working out of town.

The Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department could not exist if not for the dedication of the firefighters who give their time in service and training to the community. The special individuals put their lives on the line any time of the day or night in all types of weather conditions to help our citizens.

We are grateful for all of the support that we receive from the Ladies Auxiliary. They are equally committed to devoting their time to fund the department. Their efforts assist us in acquiring the equipment and supplies needed to insure our firefighters are up to standards while performing their duties. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the numerous individuals who make donations to the department. These donations, monetary as well as donations of services or supplies are always appreciated.

As helpful as contributions are, the fire department is in need of increased funding to operate. The ever increasing cost of fuel for the building as well as the engines has placed a considerable burden on the department. The cost to insure our members has also increased. Please keep in mind the necessary service that the Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department provides to our community when voting on the budget in March. I wish you all a healthy, happy and prosperous new year.

Respectfully submitted,

Dennis Manchester, Fire Chief



## Alexandria Historical Society for year ending December 31, 2007

This has been a very busy year for the Alexandria Historical Society. Ongoing projects continue at the Tucker House, most notable to all who pass is the addition of the shutters this past summer. Spring was a challenge this year. With the lawnmower being broken, the grounds were beginning to look like a hayfield. The equipment is again in running order and the grounds are maintained. Spring cleanup on the roads into Alexandria was very successful with volunteers braving the drizzle (but no bugs) last May. We collected at least a pickup truck full of trash. We are looking forward to spring 2008 and inviting residents to join us and enlarging the number of roads completed.

Word seems to be spreading about our free computer access on Mondays from 4:00-6:00 PM, as we have had people from as far away as France stop by to visit the Tucker House and use the computers.

Several larger projects were tackled this year; one being the clean out of the barn and the setup of a display of donated tools and yard implements.

The society also participated in the 1st Alexandria Community Day, offering ice cream sundaes and tours of the Tucker House. This event was well attended, and we look forward to July 5, 2008.

Several residents from Alexandria answered our plea for donations of bookcases and display cases. Thank you to the Stickney's and Lance Masi. Inventory continues on all of our books, pictures and artifacts, and these will be displayed on a rotating basis.

Our two major fundraisers this year, "Taste of Chocolate" in February and the Yard Sale in August were successful and will allow us to pay for utilities and continue with basic operating expenses. A big thank you to all who donate to and attend these events. Christmas in the Village was held again this year and the historical society had an open house at the Tucker House offering children the opportunity to make a holiday craft. This was very well received and will be repeated next year, with a different craft project.

Our website is almost ready and will be live any day now. Please visit us now at <http://alexandrianh.com> and click on Alexandria Historical Society.

As always, we are looking for new members and donations, both monetary and pictures, books, etc. that you would like to see preserved and displayed for the benefit of all residents. Monthly meetings, except January, are held on the first Wednesday at 7:00 PM at the Tucker House. All visitors are welcome. For more information, call 744-5831.

Respectfully submitted,  
Patricia A Moore, President

## Alexandria Health Department for year ending December 31, 2007

I have been appointed as Health Office once again and have received my certification in public health. The town is involved with the Regional Coordinating Council which covers the Newfound and Twin Rivers areas. We have had many meetings and a table top exercise to insure that towns are in compliance and ready to deal with any pandemic or epidemic that may show up in the future.

In 2007 I responded to eighty calls involving everything from mold to contaminated water systems and failed septic systems. Mold cleanup kits and water sample bottles are available at my office. Water sample bottles may also be obtained from the town clerk.

The NH Department of Environmental Services has enacted new rules on septic system repairs and replacement. If your system fails, you must follow the new regulations.

I would like to remind you that daycare homes are required to be inspected and must conform to state regulations.

Residents using holding tanks must furnish the health officer with a report showing when the tanks are pumped. This report must show the date, the vendor and the number of gallons removed from the tank.

Respectively submitted,

George G. Whittaker, Health Officer

## Emergency Management Report for year ending December 31, 2007

The town has had a busy year. We experienced a second flood, roads washing away, erosion and blocked culverts. FEMA and the state declared an emergency, and the town became eligible for some \$198,000 in aid to pay for repairs. There were also several residents who received help with personal property damage from FEMA.

An application has been submitted for mitigation funds to correct some recurring problems in town. Since we are now in the National Flood Insurance Program, we are eligible for these funds. There is an article on the warrant this year to amend the town flood ordinance; these changes were requested by NFIP.

The emergency management plan and terrorism plans have been reviewed and are about to be finalized with assistance from the Office of Emergency Management. A table top exercise and functional exercise will be held in the future to comply with the National Response Plan. These exercises will involve town and mutual aid departments.

The Hazard Mitigation Committee has been meeting on a regular basis to identify hazards in the town. In 2008 the committee will conduct an oil spill exercise on the Smith River. The department has been given booms in order to contain a spill; these were donated by one of our residents. On ongoing review of roads shows some being added to the list of those needing repair and some being taken off due to the completion of repairs. The committee will be reviewing the explosives storage facility in the northern part of town in the spring in order to insure compliance with federal guidelines.

Respectfully submitted,  
George G. Whittaker,  
Emergency Management Director



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## 2007 Report to the Town of Alexandria

The TTCC staff would like to wish everyone a Happy & Healthy 2008.

We are grateful to all of the volunteers, sponsors, coaches and donors that helped to make 2007 a success. We offered some exciting new programs and fundraisers. Here are just a few of the highlights:

- **Newfound Biggest Loser:** We are pleased to report that after three sessions of the Biggest Loser Program 88 participants have lost 859.5 lbs. Way to go!!
- **Celebrating Our Stars:** In 2007 the TTCC recognized Shane, Elaine, Shannon & Jennifer Tucker of Bristol and Jim Crawford of Bridgwater for their outstanding volunteerism for the TTCC.
- **Annual Fund:** The TTCC raised over \$30,000 with the kick-off of our first Annual Fund Drive. We would like to thank Patricia Bannan, Alan & Susan Blake, Guy Brouillard, Carl Carlson, John & Nancy Conkling, Susan & Clifton Davis, Glenn & Ann Dorr, Victor Field, Julaine Geldermann, Dorcas Gordon, Ned Gordon, John Greenan, Emery & Garrett Groundwater, Albert Hopkins, Jr, Colleen & Daryl Lane, James & Michelle McEwen, Andrew & Linda McLane, Andy & Suzi Moore, Frank & Judith Pescinski, Silvino Pinto, Carlene & David Rose, John & Barbara Stokoe, The Charles Foundation, Lisa & Steve White, Doug & Wendy Williams, Jane Willingham Trust, Donna Worthen, Sam Worthen, and Lynne Zaccaria for their generous donations.
- **Westward Bound Teen Expedition:** The TTCC embarked on it's first Westward Bound Teen Expedition in August of 2007. Twelve teens from the Newfound area were chosen to participate on this exciting adventure. The group with three chaperones traveled 1,400 miles throughout Montana, Utah, and Wyoming spending three days at Yellowstone National Park, two days in Nevada City and two days in Utah. In 2008 we will travel to Glacier National Park and the Custer area with 16 new teens. The teens and their families described this as a 'life changing' experience. We would like to thank New Hampshire Electric Coop for the grant we received toward the cost of the 2007 trip.

Some of the building projects completed this year included the purchase of new doors for the Nursery School and Handicap entrances, painting of the entry hallway, 160 new chairs and two racks and the repair of the Nursery entryway ceiling. We thank Bristol Shop N Save for their sponsorship of new gym mats that will be installed shortly.

We would like to express our continued gratitude to the Bristol United Church of Christ for the use of the TTCC building. Their support of our program is priceless! Thanks to the Bristol Rotary Club and Bristol Community Services and the Bristol United Church of Christ for scholarship funding for our summer camp participants. Also a thank you to the NH Marathon Committee for their donation of \$3,700.

In closing we wish to thank the residents of the Newfound Towns for your support of the TTCC. Come & recreate with us in 2008. The Benefits are Endless...

## Wellington State Park Report for the 2007 Season



This year was a good year and came close to 2006 year for revenues and attendance. The total number of people entering the Park for the 2007 season was approximately 58,326 and this does not include those using the boat launch. Our goal every year is to at least the \$100,000 mark in revenue. We did just that.

The privilege to use the Park facilities continues to be successful. Without your Alexandria admittance cards the daily fees are: Children 6 thru 11 pay an admittance fee of \$1.00 while those under 5 are admitted free. Children 12 and older pay \$3.00 as well as the Adults. Make sure (2008) you get a pass for yourself and your children that fall into this category (See your Town Clerk for your numbered admission card) The latest count was 1993 Adults and 401 Children. The Town admittance fee for the 2008 season is expected to be \$2700.

The Park provides an opportunity for summer employment especially for high school and college youths. Six Alexandria youths were employed at the Park this summer.

The Park also provides opportunities for community involvement such as: Boy Scout Eagle Projects, school learning activities in the outdoors and spring cleanup of the beach.

Some of the highlights were:

- a. Continued to adapt to No Smoking Beach Rule.
- b. Addition of a bird display.
- c. Triathlon in June, both quarter and half iron-man events.
- d. South Cliff Campsite water bars and steps were constructed and four new picnic tables with Memorial Plaques were added. It is our 7th Eagle project.
- e. Great Park Pursuit held at Wellington.
- f. New Sculptured Rock Sign, with the cooperation of Groton Selectmen & Road Agent a new sign was installed at the geological site.
- g. Tours were conducted on our Peninsular Nature Trail.
- h. Cedar Strip Kayak Rendezvous and Construction Company Outings with their displays.
- i. Snack Bar storage area renovated to a food preparation area:

"SEE YOU AT THE PARK"

Respectfully Submitted By,

Bill Grout Mgr. Wellington State Park

## Grafton County Senior Citizens Council, Inc. for year ending December 31, 2007

Grafton County Senior Citizens Council, Inc. is a private nonprofit organization that provides programs and services to support the health and well being of our older citizens. The Council's programs enable elderly individuals to remain independent in their own homes and communities for as long as possible.

GCSCC operates eight senior centers in Plymouth, Littleton, Canaan, Lebanon, Bristol, Orford, Haverhill and Lincoln, and sponsors the Grafton County ServiceLink Resource Center, and the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program and Volunteer Center (RSVP). Through the centers, ServiceLink and RSVP, older adults and their families take part in a range of community-based long-term services including home delivered meals, congregate dining programs, transportation, adult day care, chore/home repair services, recreational and educational programs, and volunteer opportunities.

During 2007, 63 older residents of Alexandria were served by one or more of the Council's programs offered through the Plymouth Regional Senior Center or Bristol Area Senior Services:

- Older adults from Alexandria enjoyed 246 balanced meals in the company of friends in the senior dining rooms.
- They received 394 hot, nourishing meals delivered to their homes by caring volunteers.
- They were transported to health care providers and other community resources on 452 occasions.
- They were assisted on 9 occasions by our social workers who helped them access needed services and benefits.
- Alexandria's elderly citizens also volunteered to put their talents and skills to work for a better community through 1,456.25 hours of volunteer service.

The cost to provide Council services for Alexandria residents in 2007 was \$8,726.23.

Such services can be critical to elderly individuals who want to remain in their own homes and out of institutional care in spite of chronic health problems and increasing physical frailty, saving tax dollars that would otherwise be expended for nursing home care. They also contribute to a higher quality of life for our older friends and neighbors. As our population grows older, supportive services such as those offered by the Council become even more critical.

Grafton County Senior Citizens Council very much appreciates Alexandria's support for our programs that enhance the independence and dignity of older citizens and enable them to meet the challenges of aging in the security and comfort of their own communities and homes.

Roberta Berner, Executive Director



### Grafton County Senior Citizens Council, Inc.

Statistics for the Town of Alexandria

October 1, 2006 to September 30, 2007

During the fiscal year, GCSCC served 63 Alexandria residents (out of 215 residents over 60, 2000 Census).

<u>Services</u>	<u>Type of Service</u>	<u>Units of Service</u>	<u>x</u>	<u>Unit (1) Cost</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>Total Cost of Service</u>
Congregate/Home Delivered	Meals	640	x	\$6.20	\$	3,968.00
Transportation	Trips	452	x	\$9.91	\$	4,479.32
Adult Day Service	Hours	0	x	\$	\$	0.00
Social Services	Half-hours	9	x	\$30.99	\$	278.91
Activities		140		N/A		

Number of Alexandria volunteers:21. Number of Volunteer Hours: 1,456.25

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GCSCC cost to provide services for Alexandria residents only	\$ <u>8,726.23</u>
Request for Senior Services for 2007	\$ <u>750.00</u>
Received from Town of Alexandria for 2007	\$ <u>750.00</u>
Request for Senior Services for 2008	\$ <u>750.00</u>

NOTE:

1. Unit cost from GCSCC Statement of Revenue and Expenses for October 1, 2006 to September 30, 2007.
2. Services were funded by Federal and State programs 56%; municipalities, county and United Way 11%; Contributions 10%; In-kind donations 16%; Friends of GCSCC 7%; Other 2%.

## Voices Against Violence for year ending December 31, 2007

In 2006 Voices Against Violence served 14 victims of Domestic and Sexual Violence from the Town of Alexandria. That number rose to 48 victims for the year 2007, a 70% increase.

There is clearly a need for your town's support as we continue to find our total number of victim growing for the current year.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Farmer

Executive Director

### Report of Forest Fire Warden and State Forest Ranger

Your local Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department, and the State of New Hampshire Division of Forests & Lands work collaboratively to reduce the risk and frequency of wildland fires in New Hampshire. To help us assist you, please contact your local Forest Fire Warden or Fire Department to determine if a permit is required before doing ANY outside burning. Under State law (RSA 227-L:17) a fire permit is required for all outside burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow. The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services also prohibits the open burning of household waste. Citizens are encouraged to contact the local fire department or DES at 1-800-498-6868 or [www.des.state.nh.us](http://www.des.state.nh.us) for more information. Safe open burning requires diligence and responsibility. Help us to protect New Hampshire's forest resources. For more information please contact the Division of Forests & Lands at (603) 271-2214, or online at [www.nhdf.org](http://www.nhdf.org).

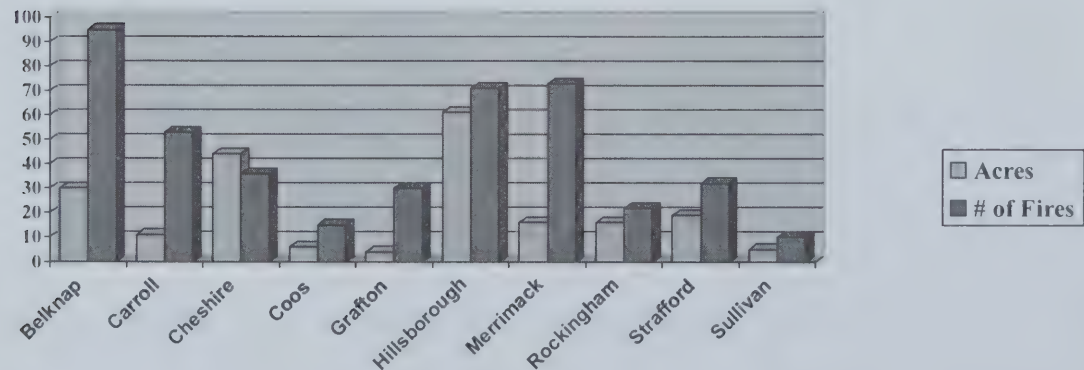
Fire activity was very busy during the spring of the 2007, particularly late April into early May. As the forests and fields greened up in later May the fire danger decreased. However, a very dry late summer created very high fire danger again from August into September, with fire danger reaching very high on Labor Day weekend. Even with the dry conditions, the acreage burned was less than half that of 2006. The largest forest fire during the 2007 season burned approximately 26 acres on the side of Wantastiquet Mountain in Chesterfield during the month of May. Our statewide system of 16 fire lookout towers is credited with keeping most fires small and saving several structures this season due to their quick and accurate spotting capabilities. Many homes in New Hampshire are located in the wildland urban interface, which is the area where homes and flammable wildland fuels intermix. Several of the fires during the 2007 season threatened structures, a constant reminder that forest fires burn more than just trees. Homeowners should take measures to prevent a wildland fire from spreading to their home. Precautions include keeping your roof and gutters clear of leaves and pine needles, and maintaining adequate green space around your home free of flammable materials. Additional information and homeowner recommendations are available at [www.firewise.org](http://www.firewise.org). Please help Smokey Bear, your local fire department and the state's Forest Rangers by being fire wise and fire safe!

#### 2007 FIRE STATISTICS

(All fires reported as of November 8, 2007)

(figures do not include fires on the White Mountain National Forest)

COUNTY STATISTICS		
County	Acres	# of Fires
Belknap	30	95
Carroll	11	53
Cheshire	44	36
Coos	6	15
Grafton	4	30
Hillsborough	61	71
Merrimack	16	73
Rockingham	16	22
Strafford	19	32
Sullivan	5	10



#### CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED

		Total Fires	Total Acres
Arson	5	2007 437	212
Debris	197	2006 500	473
Campfire	38	2005 546	174
Children	22	2004 482	147
Smoking	41	2003 374	100
Railroad	5		
Equipment	3		
Lightning	7		
Misc.*	119 (*Misc.: power lines, fireworks, electric fences, etc.)		

ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT WILDLAND FIRE



## Lakes Region Planning Commission 2006–2007 (FY2007)

The Lakes Region continues to grow and evolve. Homes and businesses have expanded along major roadways, and many of our communities have experienced dramatic changes. This growth has resulted in a number of regional challenges. The Lakes Region Planning Commission (LRPC) is an organization established to provide area communities with the capability to respond to and shape the pressures of growth in a purposeful way. With a service area covering over 1,200 square miles in Belknap, Carroll, Grafton and Merrimack Counties, the LRPC provides a wide range of planning services to member municipalities. The Commission offers direct and support services including technical assistance, geographic information systems, transportation planning, land use, environmental planning, hazard planning and economic development. Local, state, and federal resources primarily fund the LRPC. We are contacted several times daily for answers to local and statewide issues. We also maintain a regular dialogue with state agencies as a resource for the entire Lakes Region. Our goal remains to provide support, knowledge, and leadership to the governments, businesses, and citizens of the Lakes Region.

Listed below are some of the services performed on behalf of the Town of Alexandria and the region in the past fiscal year:

- ❖ Provided information to resident regarding applications to the planning board and recourse for denied applications.
- ❖ Met with a town committee exploring zoning and related land use measures. Provided examples of ordinances and other resource material.
- ❖ Provided documents to local official to help the planning board establish a zoning ordinance; also provided a copy of a reclamation checklist and pertinent information.
- ❖ Discussed subdivision recording requirements and revocation process with local official.
- ❖ Produced two maps in electronic format for local officials.
- ❖ Met with the planning board to talk about conservation subdivisions.
- ❖ Completed and distributed the 2007 Development Activity in the Lakes Region report on the Lakes Region residential and commercial development trends. Prepared and distributed a new development survey for 2007-2008.
- ❖ Planned and coordinated the 21st annual household hazardous waste collection in the Lakes Region. Two consecutive Saturdays were designated as collection days for 24 participating communities. An estimated 20,000 total gallons of waste were collected, containerized, and transported to EPA approved end-of-life locations around the country.
- ❖ In cooperation with area communities, developed an update of the top regional transportation priorities and submitted it to the NHDOT as required by state statute. Continuously to advocate for needed projects.
- ❖ Convened several meetings of the LRPC Transportation Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) to enhance local involvement in transportation planning and project development. The TAC advises the LRPC on transportation projects of regional significance.
- ❖ In cooperation with the NH Local Government Center, hosted and organized three public Municipal Law Lectures where practicing attorneys provide a legal perspective on local planning, zoning and other municipal issues. Recent lectures included: Procedural Basics for Planning and Zoning Boards; Environmental Permitting: The Role of Local Officials; and Road Access and the Municipal Planning Process.

- ❖ Secured funding from the NH Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) to assist local communities with the preparation of all hazard management plans.
- ❖ Awarded \$50,000 from the U.S. Economic Development Administration to prepare a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) for the Lakes Region. A completed CEDS will provide communities with improved access to EDA funding for infrastructure and economic development projects, a benefit not currently available.
- ❖ Conducted over 160 traffic counts around the region, in cooperation with the New Hampshire Department of Transportation (DOT). LRPC is also preparing and updating local road inventories, on a town-by-town basis, that will be used by the DOT.
- ❖ Convened six Commission meetings, which featured a diverse range of topics ranging from: a Legislative Night which featured a broad array of proposed legislation, including implementation of a new woodland buffer provisions in shoreland areas, expanding job creation incentives in the LRPC area, swim lines in public waters, and promoting agritourism; presentations on climate challenges including global warming and the effects on NH resources and economy as well as opportunities presented by climate change; an update of LRPC's Regional Goals and Objectives which was accomplished with discussions and recommendations over the four area meetings and adoption in September of this year; an amendment to the Standing Rules and Procedures for the LRPC Transportation Advisory Committee; and an opportunity to exchange viewpoints and make recommendations for amendments to the Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act (CSPA).
- ❖ Continue to represent the region on several boards and committees related to the economic and environmental well-being of the region, e.g., the Belknap County Economic Development Council, the Grafton County Economic Development Council, the Pemigewasset River Local Advisory Committee, etc.
- ❖ Reviewed project proposals through the NH Intergovernmental Review Agreement that provides the region and local communities an opportunity to respond to applications seeking state and federal aid. LRPC reviewed many proposals having a combined investment total greater than \$131 million in the Lakes Region.
- ❖ Held a hands-on GIS workshop for local officials on the use of GIS.
- ❖ Authored and presented a model steep slope ordinance for use by municipalities interested in preserving steep slopes, in cooperation with the NH Department of Environmental Services.
- ❖ Continue to represent the region at meetings of the Lakes Region Household Hazardous Product Facility in order to explore the ways and means that the facility may encourage other communities to participate.
- ❖ Completed an inventory of age restricted housing in New Hampshire in cooperation with the NH Housing Finance Authority.
- ❖ Completed a School Enrollment Study which showed that the number of school-aged children generated from new single family housing is declining in both NH and the Lakes Region.
- ❖ Conducted the Granite Municipal GIS Survey in cooperation with the UNH Complex Systems Research Institute.
- ❖ Ordered and distributed many copies of the NH Planning and Land Use Regulation books to member planning boards at considerable savings.

## Tri-County Community Action Program, Inc. for year ending December 31, 2007

Community contact is the field service arm of the Tri-County Community Action Program. The purpose of this program is to assist low income, elderly, and handicapped persons to solve individual problems and to meet their needs through individual and/or group self help efforts. C.A.P. staff accomplished this purpose by providing information, counseling and be effectively linking and utilizing community resources. If possible, we also may assist with Emergency Fund dollars in the form of vouchers.

CATEGORY	TYPE OF ASSISTANCE	UNITS
FOOD/HOUSING	Emergency food pantry/Food Stamp referrals, Emer. Housing/Sec. Dep. Loans, Tenants/landlord relations, Landlord lists	11
ENERGY	Elec. Disconnects, Fuel Outages, Home repairs, Weatherization, Fuel wood, Heat source repair requests, furnace issues	89
HOMELESS	Assistance to the homeless or those in imminent danger of becoming homeless	7
BUDGET COUNSELING	Employment/job training referrals, Debt &/or money management, financial plan reviews, Welfare referrals	13
HEALTH ISSUES	Medicare/Medicaid info/referrals, Mental health, Dental, Substance abuse, Emer. Response Units, Breast cancer awareness.	8
TRANSPORTATION	Area public transportation info, car pool info, information re: senior transportation for medical and other needs.	3
OTHER ISSUES	Clothing Vouchers, Domestic Violence Program referrals, Legal Aide referrals, Children's Hat & Mitten Program	6

**TOTAL SERVICE UNITS: 137**

We sincerely appreciate the Town of Alexandria's past support and look forward to our continuing partnership to provide essential services to your residents.

Respectfully submitted,  
Amanda Perreault  
Plymouth Area Coordinator

**TOTAL VALUE OF SERVICES PROVIDED BETWEEN  
July 1, 2006 and June 30, 2007 is \$38,070.00**

Fuel Assistance-\$21,078  
Weatherization-\$8,186  
Homeless Funds-\$300  
State-Wide Electric Assistance Program-\$8,506



## Report to the People of District One by Raymond S. Burton, Executive Councilor for year ending December 31, 2007

It is a pleasure to serve this large northern district of 98 towns, 4 cities and five counties with a population of 247,000 people. The Executive Council is at the top of your Executive Branch of NH State Government. The Governor and Executive Council appoint 352 Commissions and Directors who administer NH law and budget as prescribed by the NH House and Senate.

2008 is the year to keep an eye on and follow the progress of the NH Transportation Plan. The recommended projects in the highway and bridge plan can be accomplished with existing revenue from the state gasoline tax, bonds and matching federal funds. The Executive Council held public hearings on the projects throughout the state and forwarded their recommendations to Governor Lynch. Governor Lynch will review our recommendations and then submit his recommended plan to the NH House and Senate by January 15, 2008. Without any new revenues will have to be voted by the Members of the House and Senate and signed by the Governor. Contact your local legislator-House and Senate. Find them by going to [www.nh.gov](http://www.nh.gov)

This large northern district needs more people on state mandated volunteer boards and commissions. Send your letter of interest and resume to my office, or to Kathy Goode, Director of Appointments/Liaison to the Council, Governor's Office, State House, 107 North Main Street, Concord, NH 03301. Tel. (603) 271-2121. To find out what openings are available and to see a list of boards, visit the NH Secretary of State website at [www.sos.nh.gov/redbook/index/htm](http://www.sos.nh.gov/redbook/index/htm).

I have available from my office informational items about the NH Executive Council, NH Constitutions, NH Tourist Map, 2007 Consumer Handbook and District Maps. If you would like to receive my Monday morning report by e-mail, please send an e-mail address to [rburton@nh.gov](mailto:rburton@nh.gov).

It is an honor to continue to serve you in my now 30 years as a public servant. Contact me office anytime about your ideas, concerns and problems with state government. I respond to all inquiries and challenges.

Respectfully submitted,

Raymond S. Burton

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## UNH Cooperative Extension-Grafton County Office Northam D. Parr, County Office Administrator for year ending December 31, 2007

University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension, Grafton County, has been serving the people of our county in the following ways:

The Nutrition Connections program, coordinated by Robin Peters, reached over 100 families in their adult programs and 200 children in their youth programs. The children were from various Head Start programs; local elementary schools; Whole Village Family Resource Center's Child Care Center; the 21st Century After School Program; North Country Academy Charter School and the Circle Program's summer camp.

The Family and Consumer Resources program Educator, Deb Maes, has worked with a new collaboration in Plymouth that allowed limited resource families to participate in a five-week Making Money Work for You program. In addition, over 400 food service workers participated in either a two-day food safety class or an intensive one day class as part of the Family and Consumer Resources program. Of those attending, over 83% scored 75% or higher on the National Restaurant Association's exam and were certified for five years based on their food safety knowledge. Deb also taught participants in the Grafton County Academy Program nutrition and food budgeting tips, money management, parent education and people-skills as part of their education prior to graduating from the program.

Nutrient management in the production of forages, vegetables and fruits continues to be a major focus of the Agricultural Resources program. Nutrient Management Plans on more than 4000 acres of corn and forages were reviewed and updated by Tom Buob, Extension Educator. Through the use of the UNHCE Soil Testing Program farmers were encouraged to maximize the utilization of their on-farm resources to minimize costs and improve profits. Forty producers submitted 160 samples in this process.

Agricultural Resources programs continued to expand efforts with vegetable farmers to incorporate more environmentally sound management practices into their overall management schemes, including: drip irrigation, individual row fertigation, and the introduction of disease resistant varieties to reduce pesticide use. The use of floating row covers was promoted and demonstrated to reduce the use of insecticides and encourage earlier production of various vegetable crops. The vegetable produce from the demonstration plots (several tons of tomatoes, squash, cucumbers, etc) was donated to various Senior Centers in the Upper Valley.

The 4-H Youth Development program has over 300 members and 110 leaders supporting 23 traditional clubs. Volunteers in the 4-H program provided over 4,000 hours of service in 2006-2007 to support the educational objectives of the program. A 4-H Afterschool group was formed in Littleton. In addition, Kathy Jablonski, 4-H Youth Development Educator, has provided assistance to four community's and their after school programs. One program in Littleton, Project REACH, received a JC Penney 4-H Afterschool Grant. Consultation for grants has been done with several other programs. Statewide training in positive youth development theory has been presented at Plustime, 21st Century and Extension sponsored conferences.

This year the Master Gardener and the 4-H horticulture programs have been supported by a program associate. The approximately 25 MG's have given hundreds of hours of support to the Grafton County communities. Their showpiece project, the perennial gardens at the county complex, has been coordinating with the County Commissioners. In addition, Dana Karuza Tulp, Volunteer Management Coordinator, coordinated the 4-H summer gardening program for 60 youth and their leaders. A series of 10 workshops, open to 4-Hers and the general public, were held on a variety of horticultural topics throughout the spring and summer months.

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Michal Lunak, Extension Dairy Specialist, has also been working with local dairy producers on herd management, farm transfer planning, and quality milk production. He also facilitated with a series of bio-security workshops that were co-sponsored by UNH Cooperative Extension and the New Hampshire State Veterinarian. In all, 77 agricultural professionals and 72 producers, youth, and general public participated.

Northam Parr, Forestry Resources Educator, spent considerable time assessing the damage from the spring storms and connecting wood lot owners with the correct agencies and providers. The Tree Farm program continues to be supported, including the New Hampshire Tree Farm Field Day. In addition, Northam has worked on sustainable forestry plans with landowners and has facilitated with certified logging professional workshops.

Northam Parr and Michal Lunak serve on the county farm committee to help to develop a sustainability plan for the county farmlands, woodlands, and dairy herd. Deb Maes, Nory Parr and Robin Peters have assisted the communities of Landaff, Rumney and Canaan in their Community Profile work and follow up activities.

UNHCE continues to provide New Hampshire's citizens with research based education, information and technical assistance, enhancing their abilities to make informed decisions strengthening youth, families and communities while sustaining natural resources and improving the economy. Funded through the federal, state and county government and competitive grants, educational programs are designed to respond to the local needs of citizens through direction and support of the elected volunteer Extension Advisory Council.

For information, please contact our office Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. by calling: 603-787-6944 or emailing: [grafton@ceunh.unh.edu](mailto:grafton@ceunh.unh.edu). You will find current information on our website: [www.extension.unh.edu](http://www.extension.unh.edu)

Respectfully submitted,

Kathleen E. Jablonski, Extension Educator,  
4-H Youth Development, and County  
Office Administrator



## Alexandria Conservation Commission for year ending December 31, 2007

call 603-271-2147 or on the internet at [www.des.state.nh.us/wetlands](http://www.des.state.nh.us/wetlands).

The year 2007 saw the Conservation Commission members grow to a Commission with broader knowledge, greater appreciation for preservation, understanding the need for a regional approach and an enthusiasm to share the findings with our community.

The mission of the Conservation Commission is to promote public awareness and protection of our natural resources. We are an appointed volunteer board that serves the Town in an advisory capacity regarding matters concerning natural resources. The Commission has no regulatory authority, but it is our duty to advise the Department of Environmental Services (DES) on wetland regulatory matters within Alexandria. Another major responsibility is to accept gifts of land for conservation and conservation easements on behalf of the Town.

In the process of writing By-Laws for the Commission this year, it was necessary to document the year the citizens of Alexandria originally passed the Warrant Article to establish a Conservation Commission. The year was 1972, thirty five years ago, membership could be three to seven members. Wonderful foresight! At this time there are positions available to serve our Town in stewardship. The Commission meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month at the Town Offices.

Throughout the year members have attended numerous lectures and seminars most of which were of minimal cost or no cost, given by state agencies, universities and non-profit organizations. The year began with a lecture given by DES, "Land Resources Management". The annual meeting of the Lakes Region Planning Commission (LRPC) "Changing Demographics Changing Economy" was thought provoking. The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Association of Conservation Commission (NHACC) with the keynote speaker, DES Commissioner Tom Burack spoke of the increased collaborative effort of the agency to communities, followed by day long workshops. The New Hampshire Local Government Center sponsored "Municipal Law Lecture" series in Meredith and the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire (SPNHF) presented a timely event in Concord, concerning preservation and land conservation. In the fall the Newfound Lake Region Association (NLRA) and the University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension presented "Guide to New Hampshire Timber Harvesting Laws" with a visit to an area recently timbered. In addition the NLRA hosted monthly workshops on various pertinent topics, most importantly the Watershed Master Plan, involving Alexandria, as well as, eight other communities, comprising the watershed for Newfound Lake.

The importance of the Alexandria Community in support of the NLRA initiative "Every Acre Counts: The Newfound Watershed Master Plan" is paramount to its success. Alexandria's watershed contributes more water via the Fowler River than any of the other eight communities. Alexandria's supporting landscape is the largest in the watershed when compared to the other eight communities. We, the citizens of Alexandria, can make a difference in fostering, nurturing and preserving the regional landscape. It is within us to make good decisions. Our actions matter. Alexandria's hills, mountains, fields, rivers, bog and lake are special.

As an example, in the winter issue, 2008 from New Hampshire's Fish & Game newsletter, "Wildlines", an article is written titled "The Mysterious Round Whitefish". The fish is described as slender with a dark brown back and silvery belly, a mystery to biologists. The fish is known to be found only in Newfound Lake and the upper Connecticut River. The biologists' concern is the limited distribution of the fish in New Hampshire. Action is progressing to lay out research and conservation strategies to allow and secure a future place for the round whitefish by the NH Wildlife Action Plan. How is it not possible to appreciate the special nature of Alexandria?

What does the information and education do? The answer was heard last July at the Conservation Commission's display at Alexandria Community Day. The Commission with support of the LRPC displayed three large maps of Alexandria, showing aquifers, farmlands, mountains, slopes, roads, rivers, diversity and density of wildlife, supporting landscapes and more. It was exciting to see the interest and enthusiasm of our citizens to the richness of our natural resources.

The Conservation Commission has started a collection of books and pamphlets pertaining to the environment. It is a small collection but it is a beginning. The material can be borrowed upon request.

The Conservation Commission has set forth a Warrant Article for the Annual Town Meeting, March 2008. The article requests a percentage of the monies collected from the Land Use Change Tax. RSA 79-A:25. The Town Treasurer shall have custody of all money. It will be placed in a conservation fund. RSA 49:29. Prior to the use of the conservation funds, the Conservation Commission shall hold a public hearing with notice in accordance with RSA 675:7. Look to support the idea, money set aside to foster preservation and conservation.

The new Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act, RSA 483-B will be enforced as of April 1, 2008. A State Shoreland Permit is required for any construction, excavation or filling activities. Here are only a few highlights to consider: 250 feet from the reference line, the protected shoreland, limits impervious surface area; 150 feet from the reference line requires 50% natural woodland buffer; 50 feet from the reference line requires 50 foot set back for primary structures and accessory structures with a waterfront buffer. For specifics about the new regulations, contact NHDES at 603-271-3503 or on the internet at [www.des.state.nh.gov/cspa](http://www.des.state.nh.gov/cspa).

Wetlands Permit is required if you are planning to excavate, fill, or build within a wetland area. The permit application can be found on the NHDES web site. The application is filed with the Town Clerk who forwards the application for permit to the Conservation Commission and NHDES. If you question whether a permit is required,

Don Gagnon, Chair

Members:

Alexandria Conservation Commission

Kate Barrett

Bonnie O'Brien

Bonnie Tourangeau

Janet Towse

## Newfound Area Nursing Association 214 Lake Street Bristol, NH 03222

**Mission Statement:** To promote and provide both health and therapeutic services to individuals and families in our community. Our services and programs are individualized to maximize clinical and social outcomes to enhance the quality of life throughout the communities we service.

### *2007 Summary of Services*

Skilled Nursing.....	2842
Physical Therapy.....	820
Occupational Therapy.....	604
Home Health Aide.....	3652
Homemaker.....	331
Social Service Visits.....	2
Senior Companion.....	32
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Total .....	8,292

**Outreach Programs:** Flu Vaccine Administration: NANA immunized more than 724 clients and residents in the towns we serve. Our thanks go to the citizens of our member municipalities, with their support NANA was able to continue to provide services to our frail and elder population.

**Well Child Clinics:** Monthly clinics were provided for physicals, immunizations and nutrition and health education.

**Hypertension(Blood Pressure) Screenings:** 214 Clients

**Foot Care Clinics:** 89 Clients

**Multiple Sclerosis Support Group:** NANA supports a monthly MS Support Group for our member towns in central New Hampshire. Conducted by a group of dedicated volunteers, it serves a very special group of clients in our region.

**All Hazards Planning:** NANA is a participating member of the Bristol-Franklin Emergency Management System working with state and town officials to prepare and execute pandemic immunization plans and other public health awareness programs. NANA's knowledge of special populations throughout the Newfound region is vital to planning for catastrophic events.

**Federal and State Programs:** NANA, along with other service providers in the health care industry, continues to be challenged by the economic impacts of County, State and Federal budget issues. Our reimbursement rates continue to decline while patient acuity rises as more and more care is delivered in the home setting. As one of the smallest certified home care agencies in New Hampshire, we are challenged to be more efficient and effective in our service delivery programs.

**Qualified Staff Recruitment and Retention:** Nursing and Therapist shortages are compounded by our rural location. Salaries must be competitive with larger home care agencies and hospitals to attract and retain quality staff. Increased gasoline prices also impact a professional's decision to choose home care versus institutional employment.



*Additionally:* On average, compared to most home care agencies, NANA's clients are 4 years older than the national average. Our clients are fiercely independent. NANA's goal is to provide innovative programs promoting independence. Through your support our clients can continue to be contributors to, versus dependents of, the community.

We will celebrate our 48th birthday in May of 2008 and look forward to continuing to serve the Newfound area for many years to come. We are most thankful for your support, both financially and with your presence, volunteering in the many areas that help us to provide services to our clients.

Newfound Area Nursing Association is pleased to offer quality home care and supportive services to area residents. The staff, volunteers, and Board of Directors work very hard to meet the health care needs of those in our community. We are looking forward to a healthy and prosperous 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia A. Wentworth

Executive Director

**Haynes Library**  
**Treasurer's Report 2007**  
Beth Farmer, Treasurer

**Checking account**

Balance 12/31/06	\$ 1,055.68
Balance 12/31/07	\$ 926.76

**Savings account**

Balance 12/31/06	\$ 5,287.38
Balance 12/30/07	\$ 3,499.00

**Book fund account**

Balance 12/31/06	\$ 2,093.97
Balance 12/31/07	\$ 2,098.77

**A.G Edwards account**

Balance 12/31/06	\$ 3,651.06
Balance 12/31/07	\$ 3,826.21

**Cash on hand**

Balance 12/31/06	\$ 74.40
Balance 12/31/07	\$ 69.88

**Expenses**

Electricity	\$ 149.47
Phone	\$ 378.43
Report filing fees	\$ 75.00
Fuel oil	\$ 475.16
Furnace maintenance and repairs	\$ 147.10
Insurance	\$ 525.00
Books purchased	\$ 27.99
Librarian gift	\$ 600.00
DVD's purchased	\$ 339.78
New Drapes	\$ 297.41
Postage/notary/copies	\$ 7.25

**Income**

Used book sale	\$ 76.00
Donations	\$ 299.00
Interest from trust fund	\$ 456.03

## Newfound Lake Region Association Report for year ending December 31, 2007

2007 has been a very busy year for the NLRA as we've expanded our initiatives to provide valuable services to the nine towns in the 63,000 acre watershed. We have increased our education and outreach activities including: planning and educational workshops; presentations before each town's boards; participation in local fairs and events; building collaborative relationships with UNH, Plymouth State University, the Newfound Region School systems, the Lakes Region Planning Commission, NH Fish and Game, the Newfound Region Chamber of Commerce, the NH Lakes Association, and land conservation organizations – to increase the number of projects that benefit the watershed. The NLRA is dedicated to serving as an extension of each town's stewardship efforts – watching over the well being of the natural resources associated with and surrounding Newfound Lake, and supporting the economic vitality of the region as well.

The NLRA received a major Watershed Master Planning grant, through NH DES, to support watershed-wide planning efforts from 2007-2009. The NLRA presented an overview of the scope of work and the process for the Alexandria Planning Board. We're looking for steering committee members from Alexandria – please contact us if you are interested in participating!

The NLRA extends its thanks to the many members and volunteers from Alexandria.

Special acknowledgements for work on various NLRA projects go to:

- Volunteer Tributary Monitors from Alexandria include: Kate Barrett, and Bill and Joan Bell. They have been collecting weekly streamwater samples in 4 tributaries (including the Fowler River) since July 2006.
- Thank you to Peter Brown for lake water sampling during the summer months.
- Volunteer Weed Watcher Kate Barrett also patrols the shallower shores on Newfound Lake to keep an eye out for plant growth in general, and particularly watching for invasive species.
- Thanks to volunteer Lake Host Ed Weber who helps staff the Wellington State Park boat ramp to provide courtesy "invasive plant" inspections for boaters launching their craft. In 2006 we had six (6) "saves", and this year - we believe due to additional coverage and education – we had one (1) save! But it is time to be vigilant as we have watched other infestations increase in NH lakes. The cost to eradicate invasive species once they take hold is significant (and success at eradication is uncertain), so we must continue our prevention efforts! This program is currently funded by the NH Lakes Association (approx. \$10,000 in 2007 for paid student hosts), and represents a huge contribution and service to our watershed.
- Last but not least, we want to acknowledge the Alexanderites who serve as volunteers for many of our events: Barbara and John Stokoe, and Janet Towse.

The town of Alexandria has been a host for NLRA-sponsored workshops, including Conservation Subdivision Planning, Wetland Permitting, and a Watershed Master Plan presentation on demographics of the Newfound watershed towns. NLRA also sponsored workshops in neighboring watershed towns for the benefit of Alexandria's boards and residents including: Lake Levels – History and Management; The NH Fish and Game Wildlife Action Plan, Steep Slope Regulations, the Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act, Land Conservation Basics and Tax Incentives, and a Keeping Track Wildlife Event and the newly formed Newfound Area Wildlife Tracking Team (Monica Raymond is a member from Alexandria as is Carolyn Sharp).



Our Floating Classroom provided Lake Ecology instruction for students from Camp Onaway, The Circle Program, and Audubon at Paradise Point. With a grant from PSNH we opened this valuable program to the public this past summer, and plan to expand our schedule in 2008.

The Newfound Lake Region Association is the only member-supported non-profit organization dedicated to the long-term monitoring and education about Newfound Lake and its surrounding watershed. We encourage residents and visitors alike to become members to support the important work we do – and become volunteers to experience the satisfaction that comes from making a difference. We welcome your questions, concerns and ideas and will do our best to follow through for the benefit of our watershed.

We have redesigned our website to provide our watershed communities with current information on all of our programs and initiatives. Please visit us at [www.newfoundlake.org](http://www.newfoundlake.org).

Sincerely,

Boyd Smith, Executive Director

Martha Twombly, Program Director

## GRAFTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

The Grafton County Commissioners are pleased to present the following reports and financial statements for the period of July 01, 2006 – June 30, 2007. Grafton County has had a very eventful and successful year. We share these reports with you to assure our citizens that their tax dollars are being spent wisely.

Financially, fiscal year 2007 was a good year for the County. Again, this year the County did not need to borrow funds in anticipation of taxes. We credit this to the hard work of our Treasurer and financial department. Total Revenue received for the fiscal year was \$28,134,230.38 and the total expended was \$28,198,811.50 with \$14,510,852 being raised in County taxes. The budget process for FY 2008 was very challenging. The County budget increased by 11.61 % while the amount to be raised by taxes increased 17.10%. The additional expenses are attributed to a large number of capital projects that needed to be completed as well as funding for the continuation of the planning process for a new Correctional Facility. The revenue for the County remained fairly level with a modest 7.74% increase.

Fiscal Year 2007 brought some changes to the County Family Commissioner William "Bill" Gabler and Register of Deeds Joel Dupuis were defeated in the election and finished their terms in December, 2006. In January, 2007, the County welcomed Commissioner Martha Richards and Register of Deeds William "Bill" Sharp. Both of our newly elected officials have adjusted to their roles quickly. In addition to the changes in elected officials, the County had a number of long-term employees retire during fiscal year 2007. We wish the best to all of them.

The Department of Corrections continued to be a major focus during fiscal year 2007. The Delegation funded \$400,000 in this budget to conduct a Needs Assessment for a proposed new facility. During the late summer the County put out an RFP to hire an Architect/Consulting firm to conduct the Needs Assessment. SMRT of Portland, ME was selected. The Needs Assessment involves three (3) phases: data collection for determining bed needs, pre-architectural and site analysis. Throughout the remainder of the year, SMRT worked with County officials to complete the Needs Assessment and determined that there would be a need for 265 beds in the year 2027. The preliminary site that was identified was directly behind the Courthouse. The Commissioners requested that the Delegation fund \$1,000,000 in the fiscal year 2008 budget to continue with the planning for the new facility. The Delegation approved this appropriation and during the next several months the Core Committee will go through the Schematic Design phase. The Delegation will be asked to vote on a bond to fund this project in early 2008.

In September 2006 the County began offering a Prescription Discount Drug program to our citizens. This program is presented to the County through the National Association of Counties and sponsored by CareMark. There is no cost to the County or to the citizens. The program is a discount program that reduces the cost of prescription drugs on the average of 20% for those who have no prescription drug coverage. From its beginning in September through the end of the fiscal year Grafton County residents had saved a total of \$41,401.32 on prescription drugs using this fantastic program. Getting enrolled in the program is simple – just place a call to the Commissioners' Office and request a card, the only information needed is your name and address and we will mail you a card. These cards are also available at any participating pharmacy.

The NH Association of Counties Annual Conference was held at the Radisson Hotel in Manchester on September 24th – 27th. During the conference at the Annual Banquet, Grafton County employees received several awards. Rick St. Hilaire received the County Attorney of the Year award; Thomas Andross, Director of Communications received the County Sheriff's Employee of the year; and Nursing Home Administrator

Bolander was recognized for the role she played as the part of the Interim Management Team at Belknap County. This team won the County Team Award. Congratulations to all on a job well done, we are very proud of you!

North Country Council finished the Long Range Master Plan now in a readable format for the County officials and public awareness and planning.

The Master Gardeners continued their beautiful work in the area between the old Commissioners Office and the Courthouse including starting a memorial tree garden. They have done excellent work and helped to beautify the campus. This is a volunteer group of citizens from all parts of the County.

The Barbara B. Hill Fun(d) continues to be available for children who are less fortunate to experience fun activities. During the past year the fund has given scholarships to many children throughout the County. Anyone wishing to make a donation can do so through the Commissioners' Office.

We as County Commissioners are pleased with the progress that has been made at the County this year and we look forward to the challenges that we face in the coming years and to continuing to provide good quality service to the residents of Grafton County.

The Grafton County Commissioners hold regular weekly meetings on Tuesday's at 9:00 AM, at the County Administrative Building at 3855 Dartmouth College Highway in North Haverhill, with periodic tours of the Nursing Home, Department of Corrections, County Farm and Courthouse. The Commissioners also attend monthly meetings of the Grafton County Executive Committee. All meetings are public. Please call the Commissioners' Office to confirm date, time and schedule.

The Commissioners are proud of the accomplishments and successes of County Government. We again recognize that none of the accomplishments could be realized if it weren't for the dedication and hard work of all of our employees and the many volunteers that do such a fantastic job. To you, the Employees and volunteers we say thank you for all your hard work and dedication.

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Michael J. Cryans, Chair (District 1)**

**Martha B. Richards, Vice-Chair (District 3)**

**Raymond S. Burton, Clerk (District 2)**



# Town of Alexandria Resident Death Report for year ending December 31, 2007

Decedent's Name	Death Date	Death Place	Father's Name	Mother's Name
Roy, Tora	1/29/07	Plymouth, NH	Roy, Dean	Newton, Melanie
Morgan, Andrew	2/3/07	Plymouth, NH	Morgan, Herbert	Packernell, Marjorie
Ramsey, Robert	2/15/07	Plymouth, NH	Ramsey, Harry	Simpson, C
Santamaria, Rose	2/18/07	Franklin, NH	Zaccaria, Anthony	Pecci, Mary
Pilotte, Andrew	3/2/07	Plymouth, NH	Pilotte, Philippe	Villemure, Germaine
Todd, Richard	5/1/07	Alexandria, NH	Todd, Frank	Meserve, Sybil
Muchewicz, Helen	6/19/07	Alexandria, NH	Parcellini, Anthony	Walsh, Veronica
Marier-Lavallee, Janet	7/29/07	Alexandria, NH	Marier, Conrad	Dubois, Mildred
Walker, Lois	9/3/07	Lebanon, NH	Caldwell, Charles	Woodward, Mary
Caron, Paul	10/9/07	Alexandria, NH	Caron, Leo	Johnson, Lauris
Jewell, Grace	11/24/07	Alexandria, NH	Long, Joseph	Faunce, Mary
Cogean, Wallace	12/27/07	Laconia, NH	Gogean, William	Gear, Marion

## Town of Alexandria Resident Birth Report for Year Ending December 31, 2007

Child's Name	Date of Brith	Place of Birth	Father's Name	Mother's Name
Cutting, Maia Blake	1/12/2007	Concord, NH	Cutting, Kenneth	Cutting, Sarah
Barrows, Dylan Joseph	1/29/2007	Laconia, NH		Gray, Lacy
Roy, Tara Angel	1/29/2007	Plymouth, NH	Roy, Dean	Roy, Melanie
Cullen, Brayden Allen	2/16/2007	Concord, NH	Cullen, Marc	Bean, Jennifer
Gordon, Rosalyn May	2/25/2007	Plymouth, NH	Gordon, Casey	Gordon, Selene
Sargent, Joseph Richard Farrell	4/13/2007	Concord, NH	Sargent, Alexander	Sargent, Elizabeth
Broome, Whistler Lenyn	4/20/2007	Plymouth, NH	Broome, Michael	Jewell,-Broome, Nifty
Clogston, Hayden Albert	5/23/2007	Laconia, NH	Clogston, Justin	Ballou, Michelle
Levesque-Porter, Victoria Hope	7/23/2007	Plymouth, NH	Porter, Justin	Levesque, Tonya
Robie, Emily Natalie	7/31/2007	Laconia, NH	Robie, William	Robie, Ebony
Alan, Charles Maxwell	8/5/2007	Lebanon, NH	Alan, Barry	Alan, Barbra
Gilbert, Andrew Charles	9/12/2007	Laconia, NH	Gilbert, Charles	Gilbert, Wendy
Carleton, Wyatt Matthew	9/21/2007	Laconia, NH	Carleton, James	Cole, Crystall
Zick, Kavan Allen	11/5/2007	Concord, NH	Zick, Allen	Zick, Kerri
Surkhabi, Leila Rose	11/30/2007	Plymouth, NH	Surkhabi, David	Richford, Stacy
Woodward, Elaina Star	12/4/2007	Plymouth, NH	Woodward, Jonathan	Woodward, Caroline
Krizan, Caleb Paul	12/9/2007	Concord, NH		Krizan, Rebecca





## Town of Alexandria Resident Marriage Report for year ending December 21, 2007

Groom's Name Bride's Name	Groom's Residence Bride's Residence	Town of Issuance	Place of Marriage	Date of Marriage
Gilbert, Charles P Cooley, Wendy K	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	Raymond, NH	4/21/07
Lavallee, Gerard R Marier, Janet M	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Bristol, NH	Lebanon	4/28/07
Duquette, Robert E Roy, Donna M	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	5/5/07
Suckling, Andrew J Williams, Ashley J	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	Hebron, NH	5/27/07
Poire, Peter P O'Brien, Bonnie J	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	6/16/07
Adkins, Robert E Adkins, Lisa	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Ashland, NH	Alexandria, NH	7/14/07
Jackson, James H Lamos, Linda D	Alexandria, NH Bristol, NH	Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	8/2/07
Cook, Kevin C Huntoon, Terri-Lynne	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Bristol, NH	Bristol, NH	8/3/07
Woodward, Jonathan R Grigas, Caroline S	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	Bridgewater, NH	9/23/07
Inkel, Richard G Freeman, Cindy L	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Franklin, NH	Franklin, NH	9.26/2007
Russell, Glenn A Hall, Lara S	Alexandria, NH Alexandria, NH	Alexandria, NH	Hebron, NH	10/6/07

## County and State Telephone Numbers

NH Government Online . . . . .	www.nh.gov
Emergency—Fire, Medical, Police. . . . .	911
Traveler Information . . . . .	511
NH Help Line (24 Hour). . . . .	1-800-852-3388
Headrest (Crisis Line) . . . . .	1-800-639-6095
Citizen Services (Governor's Office) . . . . .	1-800-852-3456
NH State Police (Emergency Line). . . . .	1-800-525-5555
Grafton County Sheriff . . . . .	1-800-564-6911
Tri-County Community Action . . . . .	1-800-552-4617
NH Employment Security. . . . .	1-800-852-3400
NH Health & Human Services . . . . .	1-800-852-3345
NH Veterans Council . . . . .	1-800-622-9230
NH Insurance Department . . . . .	1-800-852-3416
NH Emergency Management . . . . .	1-800-852-3792
NH Public Utilities Commission . . . . .	1-800-852-3793
Granite State Living Foundation . . . . .	1-800-826-3700
NH State Liquor Commission . . . . .	1-800-543-4664
NH Community Technical Colleges . . . . .	1-800-247-3420
Autocap. . . . .	1-800-852-3305
Corrections Information. . . . .	1-800-479-0688
NH Workforce Council . . . . .	1-800-772-7001
NH Elderly & Adult Services. . . . .	1-800-442-5640
NH Dept. of Labor . . . . .	1-800-272-4353
NH AIDS Hotline. . . . .	1-800-752-2437
NH Housing Authority. . . . .	1-800-439-7247
NH Higher Educational Assistance . . . . .	1-800-525-2577
Domestic Violence Support Center . . . . .	1-800-774-0544
NH Superior Court . . . . .	1-800-462-9404
NH Department of Education . . . . .	1-800-339-9900
NH Fire Academy . . . . .	1-800-371-4503
NH Assistive Technology . . . . .	1-800-932-5837
American Red Cross . . . . .	1-800-834-1501
NH Micro Credit (Businesses). . . . .	1-800-769-3482
Small Business Technical Assistance. . . . .	1-800-837-0656
NH Women & Infant Care (WIC). . . . .	1-800-852-3310
Child & Family Services. . . . .	1-800-640-6486
Service Link. . . . .	1-866-634-9412
Office of the Governor . . . . .	271-2121
Motor Vehicle Registrations-Concord . . . . .	271-2251
Driver's Licenses—Concord . . . . .	271-2371



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## Alexandria Local Directory

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**Selectmen's Office**

47 Washburn Road  
744-3220 · fax 744-9461  
alexandrianh@metrocast.net  
Monday–Friday · 8 a.m.–4 p.m.  
Selectmen's Meeting: Thursday at 6 p.m.

**Town Clerk/Tax Collector**

47a Washburn Road  
744-3288 · fax 744-8577  
alexctcoll@metrocast.net  
Monday · 9 a.m.–4 p.m.  
Tuesday and Friday · 9 a.m.–4 p.m.  
Thursday · 9 a.m.–7 p.m.

**Planning Board**

744-8986  
Meetings: 3rd Wednesday at 6 p.m.  
Office Hours:  
1st and 3rd Tuesday · 9:30–11:30 a.m.

**Alexandria Highway Department**

72 Mundy Road  
744-6516  
Road Agent: Jeff Cantara

**Transfer Station**

29 Smith River Road  
744-6810  
Mon. and Sat. · 8 a.m.–4 p.m.  
Wed. · 8 a.m.–noon

**Alexandria Volunteer Fire Department**

744-3165  
Emergency: Dial 911

**Alexandria Police Department**

47 Washburn Road  
744-6650  
Chief: Frank Hinkle

**New Hampshire State Police**

1-800-852-3411

**Emergency Management/Health Office**

Home 744-8243 · Office: 744-3691

**Supervisors of Checklist**

744-3691

**Forest Fire Warden/Fire Permits**

744-5024

**Grafton County Sheriff**

1-800-564-6911

**Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center**

650-5000

**Lakes Region General Hospital, Laconia**

524-3211

**Lakes Region General Hospital, Franklin**

934-2060

**Speare Memorial Hospital, Plymouth**

536-1120



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